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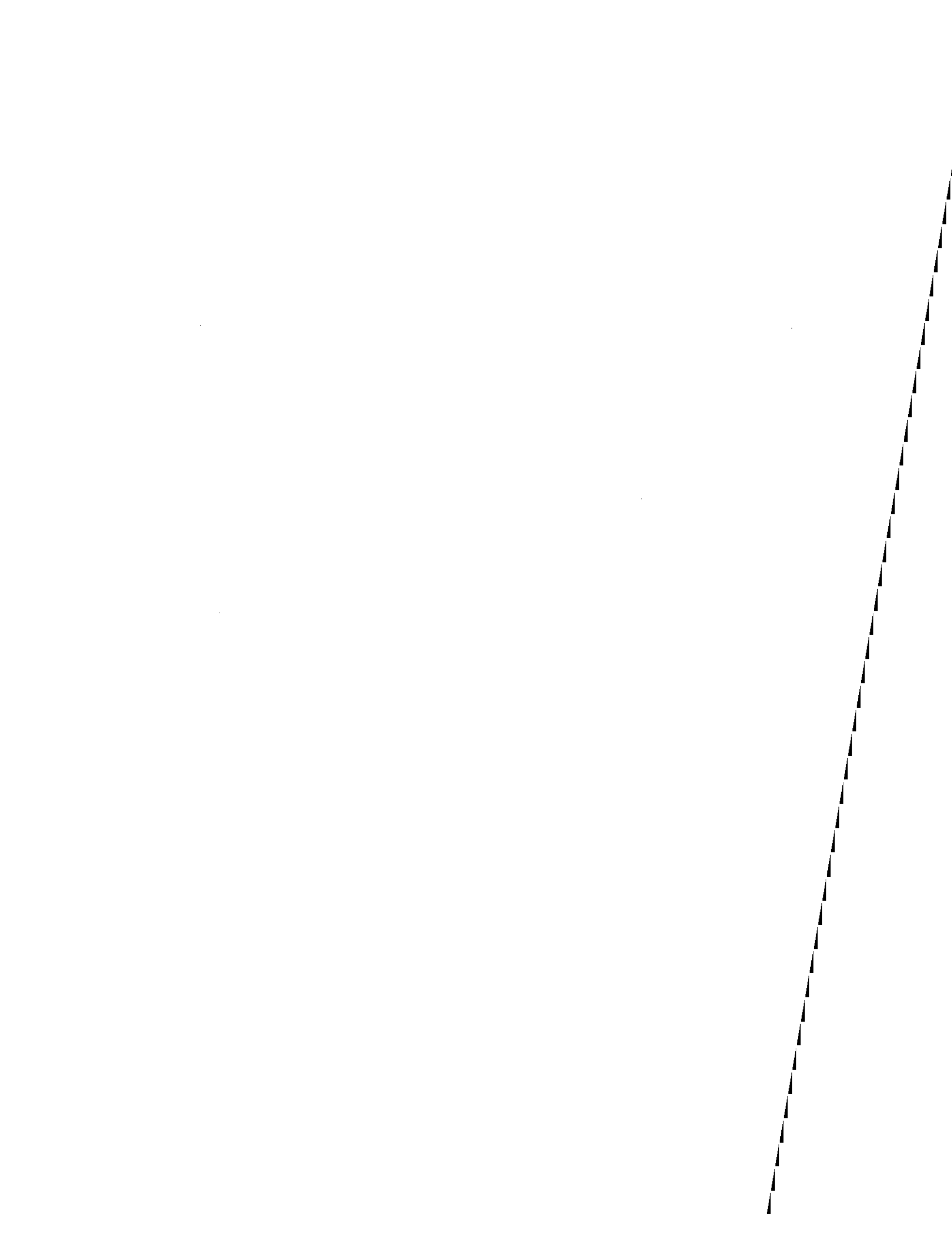
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Foreword

Urbanization is facing a new transitional stage in both advanced and developing regions. In most developed countries urbanization as a countrywide phenomenon has already run its course and an exodus from the great population concentration centers like great metropolitan areas or capital region to the countryside has begun. This phenomenon, called Counterurbanization, is an important aspect of population redistribution and regional development. In developing countries the concentrated migration of population towards the big cities is often called "overurbanizations", since this migration has caused severe financial, social and environmental problems, which are now so serious and require emergency measures.

Furthermore, the urbanization of the world's population is a problem confronting humankind on a global scale. In beginning of the 19th century the percentage of the world's population living in cities did not exceed 8%. However, after one hundred fifty years, i.e. in 1950 these figures had risen to 30% and by 1985 to 41%. It is estimated that by the beginning of the 21st century, in 2005 it will reach 50% and exceed 60% by 2025.

An urban population, exceeding the rural population is an indicator, that the human life has changed from the rural, natural environment to the urban or artificial environment. This type of social revolution is taking place on a world-wide scale.

The urban population in developing countries is approximately 1.16 billion. Of this approximately 800 million or about 70% are urban population of Asia. Or to put it another way, the total urban population of the world is approximately 2 billion, and 40% live in Asia. (1985)

The rest of the world cannot afford to ignore the significance of the above mentioned statistics and problems they represent for such a densely urbanized Asia.

This text examines the urban population of Asia, its increases or decreases, its structure and regional distribution under the above aspects and is based on various reliable sources and statistics for regions and countries. We hope that this text will be comprehensive and useful to all types of specialists, people in charge of various administrations and related branches of governmental agencies dealing with the world-wide problems of urbanization.

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Urbanization Issue in the 21st Century

— Challenges of the Urban Future —

Urbanization Issue of the world's population

Mankind is being confronted with a new problem of world population urbanization never experienced before in the history. Up until now, studies on the urbanization of population have always been limited to individual countries, advanced countries or developing countries. There was no awareness of urbanization as a problem of the world's population as a whole. In all of the developing countries, urbanization has accelerating. The rate of urbanization in the developing countries as a whole is expected to reach 40 % by the end of this century and climb to 50% by the year 2015. If the advanced countries are included in these calculations it is estimated that by the year 2000, 47% of the world's population will be urbanized with the figure climbing to 55% by the year 2015⁹.

The fact that half of the world's population suggests a transition to a new stage of social evolution. Population is being converted from systems based on strong rural characteristics in employment, life style, life consciousness, and social relations to systems based on urban values. For advanced countries, with their highly evolved manufacturing industries and where industrialization is the norm, it is necessary to extend their narrow, local perspective of urbanization to a global horizon. This is because the greatest part of the world's urban population lives in developing countries, where the urbanization rate is still low, but the size of population is huge.

In the advanced countries the urbanization was antecedent for and also outcome of economic growth and the elevation of living standards⁹. The growth of great urban centers has always been caused by a striking division of labor, a acceleration of specialization, an remarkable progress in science and technology and economic development on a massive scale. Urbanization has occurred in advanced countries in this manner. Up until now the rate of urbanization has reached a level of 70% and a reverse migration, called counter-urbanization, does not seem to be occurring⁹. If this is in fact the case, the future change of their already high-level urbanization in the advanced countries will pose a major problem to be dealt with.

In the developing countries of the world, where 75% of the world's population live, the urbanization rate is strikingly low, but the absolute numbers are high. In 1985, the approximate urban population of the world was 2 billion, with 1.16 billion living in developing countries. This equals 58% of the world's total urban population. The urban population of the advanced countries is 840 million or 42%. In the future, the rate of urbanization and the population of urban areas in the developing countries will surely increase due to increasing rate of urbanization and high rate of increase of urban

population. For example, in the year 2025, the urban population of the world will be 5.12 billion. Of this it is estimated that 4.05 billion or 79% will make up the urban population of the developing countries of the world⁹. For this reason it is not going too far to say that the focal point of the world's urban population problems will be the developing countries. It suggests that global viewpoint concerning urbanization of world population should be practically based on developing regions.

The urbanization process of population in the developing countries has some striking similarities on the one hand and some distinctive differences with urbanization in advanced countries. On the other there are three main points. The first point is that the rate of population growth is strikingly high in the former. This influences the increase in urban population. Taking a look at the yearly rates in population growth, from the period between 1970 to 1985, the advanced countries had a low increase of 1.0% compared with the extraordinarily high rate of 3.6% in the developing countries. The second point to note is the remarkably high share of major city in urban population in developing countries. Such areas are called primate cities. The size of population of primate city is much larger than that of second large city. Accordingly, the population of the primate city is so great in comparison with other city populations. Thailand's Bangkok is a good example. The total urban population of Thailand in 1985 was 10,210,000. The population of Bangkok alone was 5,860,000 or close to 60% (57.4) of the total urban population. The third point is what is known as the over-urbanization of the great urban areas. This means that the urban population exceeds the degree of industrialization for the area. In other words, the employment opportunities for the area are less than those required by the population. Frequently this gives birth to 'squatter settlements' or 'shanty towns'.

Urbanization in advanced countries: universality of its logic

Is this logic of urbanization in the developed regions universal one applicable to developing regions? In developing regions, serious social, economic problems and also environmental issues never experienced before in the developed regions are occurring in their large cities⁹ However, it should be noted that more or less similar problems, not so serious occurred, and even now are discerned in many developed countries. If it is so, urbanization due to migratory movements from rural to urban, even if there is some differences between developed and developing regions could be necessary process accompanied by economic growth. Urbanization in developing regions which seems to be ever different from that of developed regions in many aspects might be considered temporary or transitional. The fact that people who migrated into urban places from

rural seeking job opportunities are living at lowest level at urban center, but enjoying fairly better life than rural level of living before settling in urban center, suggests potential process of urbanization though much slower and more complicated than experiences in the developed regions is the part. "Transitional" or "informal" sector which used to absorb new many in-migrants may be expected to be truly a transitional sector in both the economic and social orders. As such it may be regarded as an area of opportunity for both economic development and social change towards modernity⁶

Effective population control and creation of job opportunities in rural areas through rural development programs primarily designed for redistribution of population may be able to direct urbanization in developing regions to the line of economic development and rising level of living.

The urbanization of Asia's population

The urbanization of the world's population is a new phenomenon. At the beginning of the 19th century the urban population of the world was barely 8%. A century and a half later, by 1950, it had reached 29%. This was the level of Japan in the early 1930s. In actual figures, the urban population of the less-developed countries was approximately 1,160 million in 1985. Of this approximately 800 million lived in Asia (707 million if Japan is excluded). This is approximately 70% (68.7) of the world's total urban population in the developing countries. The total urban population of the world was approximately 2 billion. Asia's urban population makes up 40% of this total. For this reason, the urban population problem in Asia has global significance.

In 1975 the urban population of Asia encompassed approximately 600 million. It is estimated that within 25 years, by the year 2000 the urban population of Asia will have increased 2.17 times to reach 1.29 billion. And then in the following 25 year period from the year 2000 to 2025 it is estimated it will increase a little over 2 times to reach 2.59 billion. Among the developing regions, Africa will show a conspicuous increase in urban population. In the 25 year period from 1975 to 2000 it is anticipated that Africa's urban population will increase from 105 million to 360 million or by 3.4 times. And in the 25 year period from 2000 to 2025, will continue to increase from 360 million to 913 million or by more than 2.5 times.

A new analysis of urbanization rates

Changes of the proportion of a total population inhabiting urban places are generally used to indicate the level of urbanization. An index based on the proportion of urban

population can be used to indicate the intensity of redistribution of population from rural to urban. The United Nations calls this the rate of urbanization. These calculations are executed for the world as a whole, as well as for advanced countries, developing countries and individual countries. The rate of urbanization indicates the average yearly rate of increase in the percentage of the urban population. It also equals to the difference between the rate of increase for the urban population and the rate of increase for the total population.

For more precise numbers on the rates of total population increase, urban population, rural population and also rate of urbanization unfortunately mentioned in this monograph, in the world more-developed regions, less-developed regions, as well as Asia, see table 1.

Conclusion : The significance of the present monograph in research on urbanization

The future of mankind will be greatly effected by the changes wrought onto society by urbanization. Social life is going to be totally revolutionized by urbanization. An evolution from rural societies, that were greatly dependent upon nature, to industrial and information orientated societies housed in man-made cities is taking place. In the sphere of productive activity an evolution from primary industry through secondary and tertiary industries to fourth information communication industries can be traced. Evolution is even taking place in the area of human relations. Social systems, in particular family patterns, value system and life styles are all undergoing changes. Urbanization is having a great effect on all aspects of human life.

The population of Asia equals 60% of the world's total population or 40% of the world's total urban population or 70% of total urban population in the developing countries. For this reason Asia's urbanization problems are globally significant.

Based on the viewpoints stated above, most fundamental data concerning urban population in Asia are compiled and edited from reliable sources provided by the United Nations others. I hope this work will be beneficial to researchers and policy makers in all relevant spheres.

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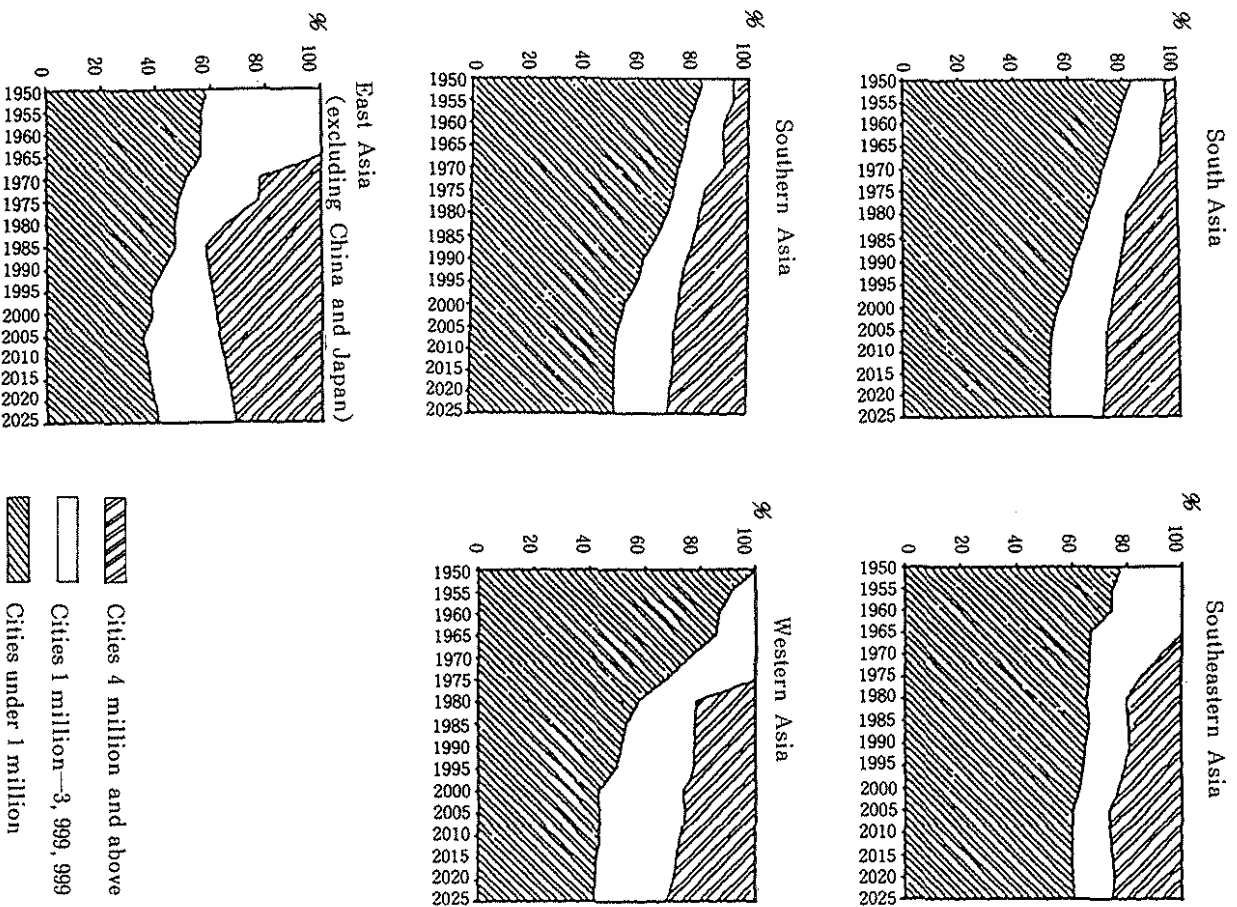
Table 1 The Average Yearly Rates of Increases of World Population, Urban Population, Rural Population and Rates of Urbanization

Rate of Increase and Rate of Urbanization	1970– 75	1975– 80	1980– 85	1985– 90	1990– 95	1995– 2000	2000– 05	2005– 10	2010– 15	2015– 20	2020– 25
The World Total											
Total Population	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0
Urban Population	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.9
Rural Population	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.2	–0.0	–0.2	–0.4
Rate of Urbanization	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0
Developed Regions											
Total Population	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Urban Population	1.5	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3
Rural Population	–0.5	–0.2	–0.2	–0.3	–0.4	–0.3	–0.5	–0.4	–0.5	–0.4	–0.4
Rate of Urbanization	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Developing Regions											
Total Population	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.1
Urban Population	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.6	2.4
Rural Population	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.6	0.3	0.0	–0.2	–0.4
Rate of Urbanization	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.2
Asia											
Total Population	2.3	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.9
Urban Population	3.4	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.3
Rural Population	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.2	0.8	0.4	–0.0	–0.2	–0.5	–0.6
Rate of Urbanization	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.4

Source: United Nations: *Prospects of World Urbanization 1988*, New York, 1989, pp.8–9.

Remarks: Generally, when talking about the proportion of urban populations it is simply called rate of urbanization. However, in order to differentiate between the rate of urbanization and the growth rate of urban populations, it is appropriate to calling this proportion the level of urbanization.

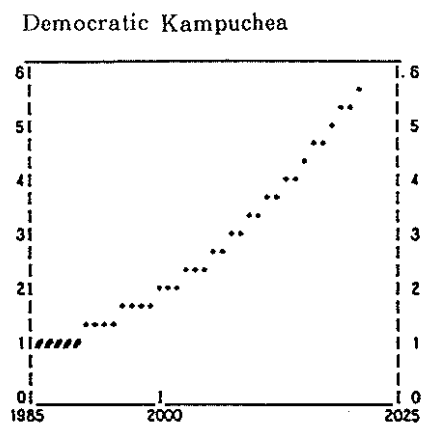
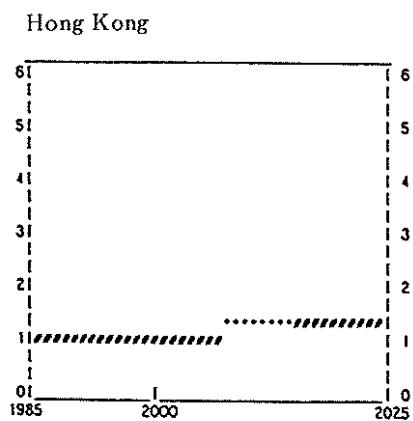
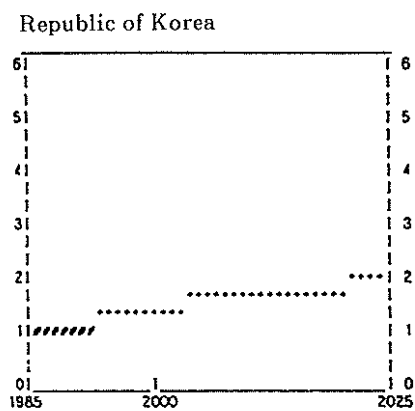
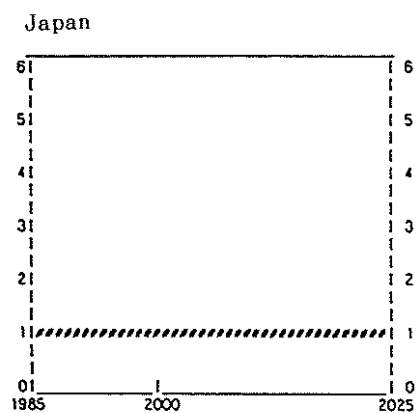
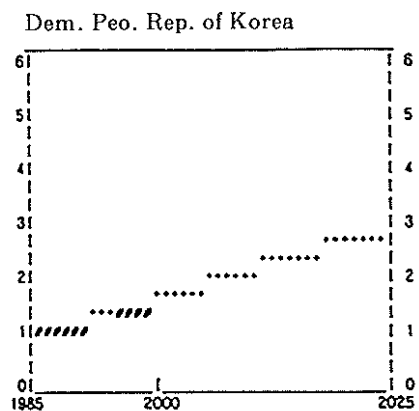
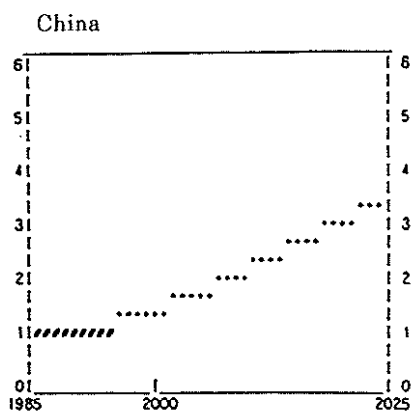
1 Percentage Distribution of Urban Population by City-Size Class, 1950—2025



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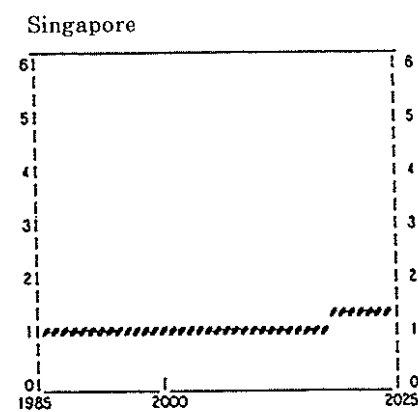
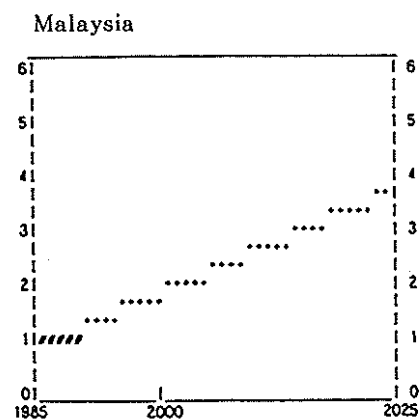
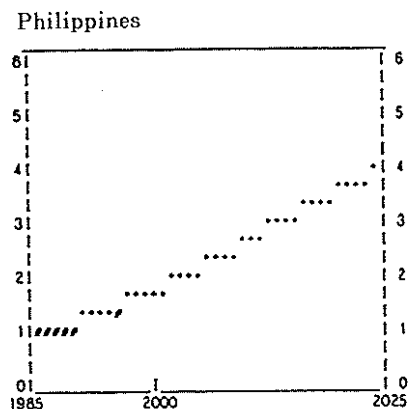
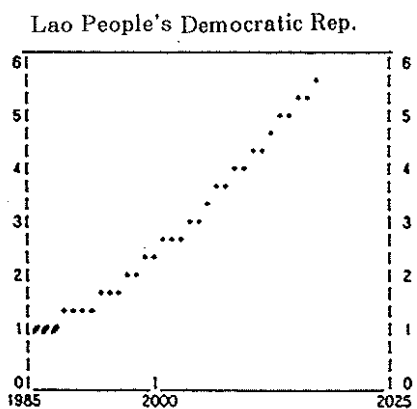
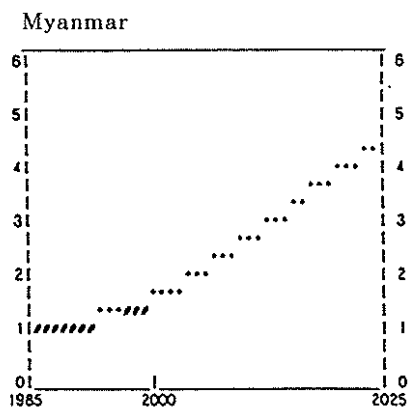
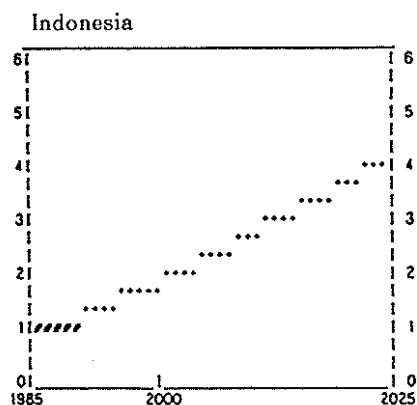
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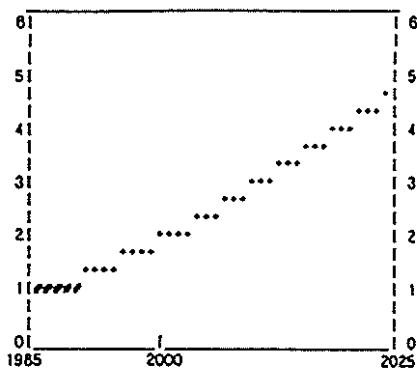
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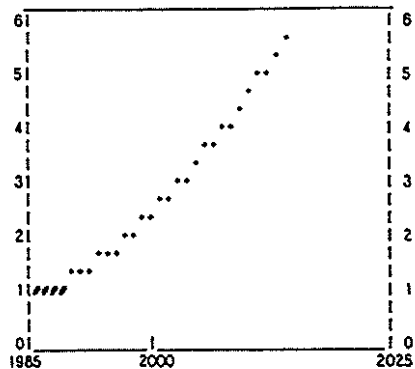
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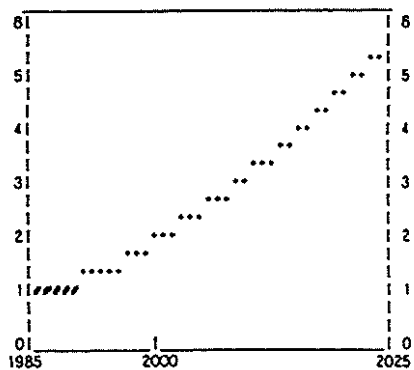
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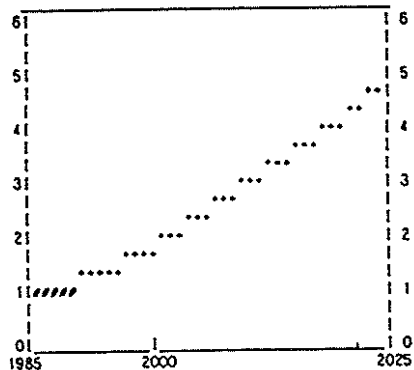
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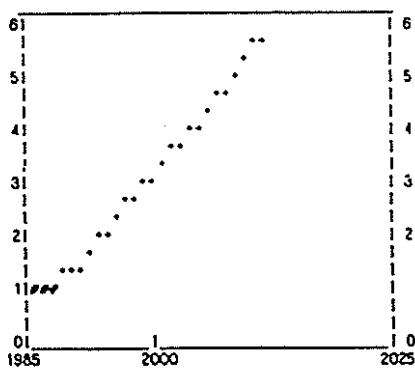
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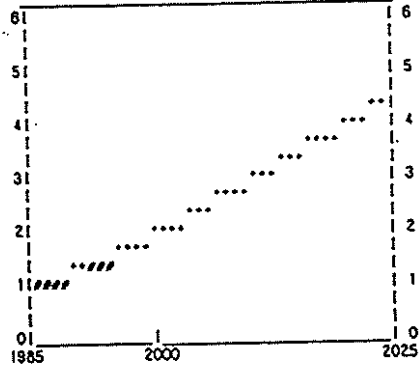
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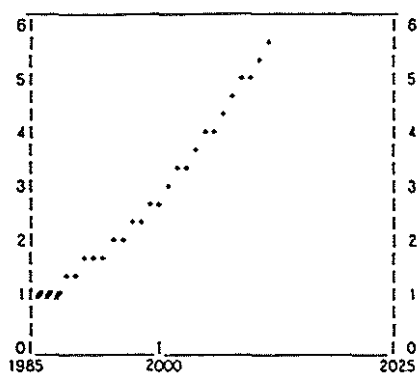


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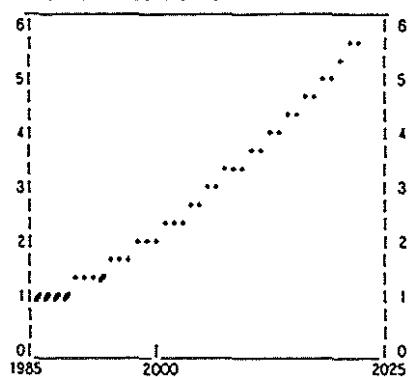
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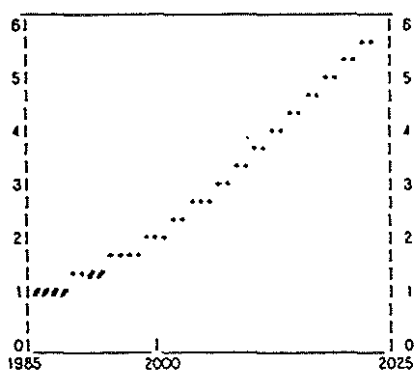
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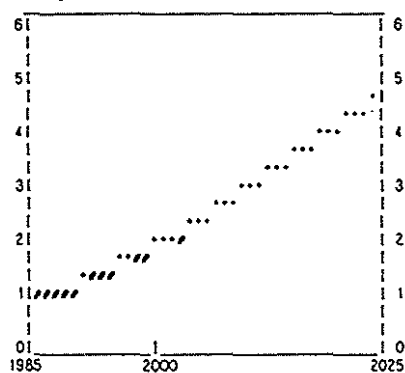
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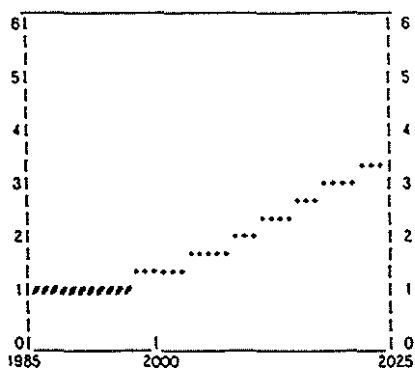
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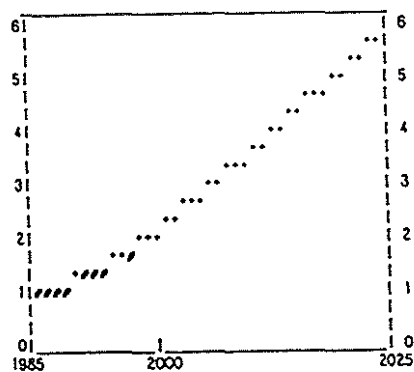
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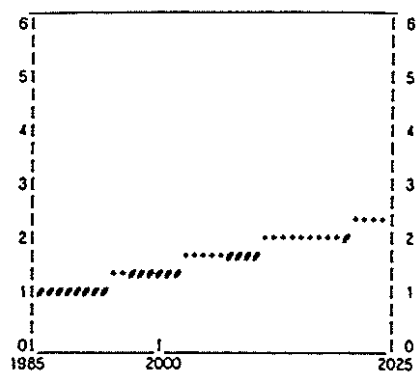
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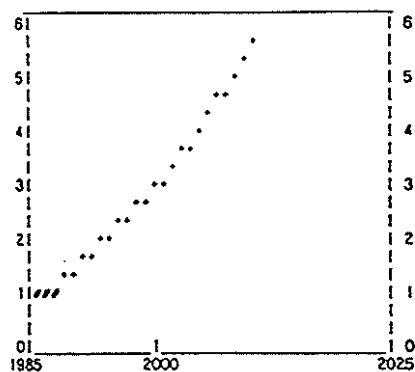
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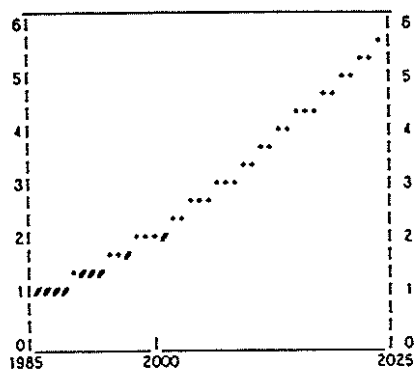
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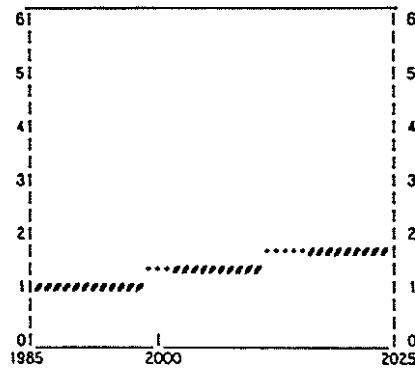
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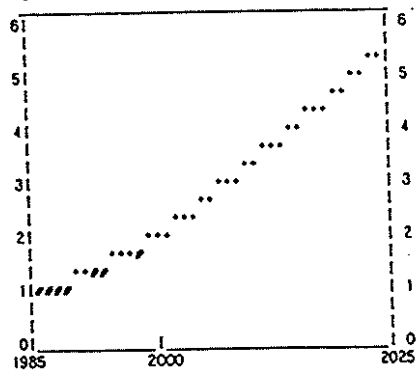
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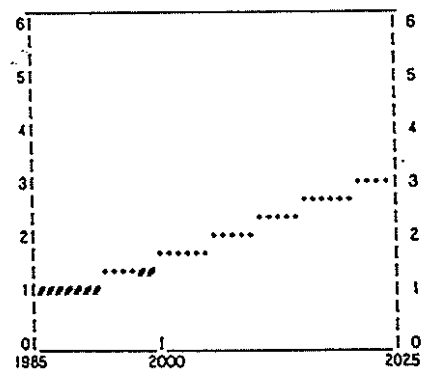
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Syrian Arab Republic



Turkey



3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,

China

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	554.76	609.00	657.49	729.19	830.68	927.27
	Urban	60.97	80.71	124.89	145.11	166.97	187.31
	Rural	493.79	528.29	532.60	584.08	663.71	739.96
% of Urban Population		10.99	13.25	19.00	19.90	20.10	20.20
% of Agricultural Population		88.38		83.23		78.34	76.29
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.87	1.53	2.07	2.61	2.20	1.43
	Urban	5.61	8.73	3.00	2.81	2.30	1.64
	Rural	1.35	0.16	1.85	2.56	2.18	1.38

Japan

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	83.63	89.81	94.10	98.88	104.33	111.52
	Urban	42.06	49.85	58.81	66.55	74.29	84.41
	Rural	41.56	39.97	35.29	32.33	30.04	27.11
% of Urban Population		50.30	55.50	62.50	67.30	71.21	75.69
% of Agricultural Population		48.84		33.06		19.64	15.37
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.43	0.93	0.99	1.07	1.33	0.93
	Urban	3.40	3.31	2.47	2.20	2.55	1.06
	Rural	-0.78	-2.49	-1.75	-1.47	-2.05	0.51

Hong Kong

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	1.97	2.49	3.08	3.69	3.94	4.40
	Urban	1.75	2.21	2.74	3.30	3.53	3.98
	Rural	0.23	0.28	0.34	0.39	0.41	0.41
% of Urban Population		88.50	88.78	89.06	89.36	89.66	90.61
% of Agricultural Population		12.17		7.75		4.38	3.25
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	4.64	4.22	3.66	1.31	2.18	2.73
	Urban	4.71	4.28	3.72	1.38	2.39	2.94
	Rural	4.14	3.72	3.10	0.74	0.25	0.56

1950—2025

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
996.13	1,059.52	1,135.50	1,214.22	1,285.89	1,341.41	1,382.46	1,421.41	1,459.75	1,492.55
203.35	218.58	243.48	277.98	322.12	375.48	439.44	507.70	579.78	652.55
792.78	840.95	892.02	936.24	963.77	965.93	943.02	913.71	879.97	840.00
20.41	20.63	21.44	22.89	25.05	27.99	31.79	35.72	39.72	43.72
74.24	70.97	67.46	63.74	59.84		51.66		43.38	39.33
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
- 1985	- 1990	- 1995	- 2000	- 2005	- 2010	- 2015	- 2020	- 2025	
1.23	1.39	1.34	1.15	0.85	0.60	0.56	0.53	0.44	
1.44	2.16	2.65	2.95	3.07	3.15	2.89	2.66	2.36	
1.18	1.18	0.97	0.58	0.04	-0.48	-0.63	-0.75	-0.93	

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
116.81	120.75	123.46	126.32	129.10	131.10	131.68	131.06	129.92	128.60
89.00	92.59	95.04	97.75	100.28	102.50	103.73	103.82	103.85	102.99
27.81	28.16	28.42	28.57	28.83	28.61	27.94	27.23	26.06	25.60
76.19	76.68	76.98	77.38	77.67	78.18	78.78	79.22	79.94	80.09
11.15	8.48	6.41	4.81	3.59		1.98		1.09	0.81
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
- 1985	- 1990	- 1995	- 2000	- 2005	- 2010	- 2015	- 2020	- 2025	
0.66	0.44	0.46	0.44	0.31	0.09	-0.09	-0.17	-0.20	
0.79	0.52	0.56	0.51	0.44	0.24	0.02	0.01	-0.17	
0.25	0.18	0.11	0.18	-0.16	-0.47	-0.51	-0.88	-0.35	

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
5.04	5.46	5.84	6.16	6.45	6.61	6.74	6.84	6.91	6.95
4.61	5.04	5.44	5.78	6.09	6.27	6.42	6.54	6.64	6.70
0.42	0.41	0.40	0.38	0.36	0.34	0.32	0.30	0.28	0.26
91.57	92.45	93.20	93.85	94.40	94.88	95.29	95.66	96.00	96.31
2.09	1.57	1.19	0.90	0.68		0.37		0.22	0.17
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
- 1985	- 1990	- 1995	- 2000	- 2005	- 2010	- 2015	- 2020	- 2025	
1.59	1.36	1.06	0.92	0.50	0.38	0.30	0.22	0.12	
1.78	1.52	1.20	1.04	0.60	0.46	0.37	0.29	0.18	
-0.60	-0.74	-0.94	-0.97	-1.28	-1.27	-1.35	-1.42	-1.52	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,

Dem. Peo. Rep. of Korea

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	9.74	9.10	10.53	12.10	13.89	15.85
	Urban	3.02	3.23	4.23	5.46	6.96	8.73
	Rural	6.72	5.87	6.29	6.64	6.93	7.12
% of Urban Population		31.05	35.49	40.20	45.09	50.08	55.08
% of Agricultural Population		70.87		61.62		52.78	47.77
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	-1.36	2.91	2.79	2.76	2.64	2.57
	Urban	1.31	5.40	5.09	4.86	4.54	4.18
	Rural	-2.69	1.40	1.08	0.86	0.53	0.40

Republic of Korea

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	20.36	21.42	25.00	28.53	31.92	35.28
	Urban	4.35	5.23	6.93	9.23	12.99	16.95
	Rural	16.01	16.20	18.07	19.30	18.93	18.33
% of Urban Population		21.35	24.39	27.71	32.35	40.71	48.04
% of Agricultural Population		76.90		61.31		49.14	42.81
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.02	3.09	2.64	2.25	2.00	1.55
	Urban	3.68	5.64	5.74	6.84	5.31	4.92
	Rural	0.23	2.19	1.31	-0.39	-0.64	-2.17

Democratic Kampuchea

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	4.35	4.84	5.43	6.14	6.94	7.10
	Urban	0.44	0.50	0.56	0.67	0.81	0.73
	Rural	3.90	4.34	4.87	5.48	6.13	6.37
% of Urban Population		10.20	10.24	10.28	10.83	11.70	10.30
% of Agricultural Population		83.88		81.88		78.27	76.29
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.15	2.31	2.45	2.44	0.46	-2.07
	Urban	2.24	2.40	3.48	3.98	-2.09	-2.07
	Rural	2.14	2.30	2.33	2.24	0.77	-2.07

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
18.03	20.39	22.94	25.55	28.16	30.68	33.12	35.41	37.60	39.61
10.76	13.01	15.46	17.99	20.52	23.05	25.57	28.01	30.40	32.66
7.27	7.38	7.48	7.56	7.64	7.63	7.55	7.39	7.20	6.95
59.69	63.82	67.39	70.40	72.87	75.13	77.21	79.12	80.86	82.46
42.80	38.09	33.53	29.29	25.36		18.60		13.25	11.10
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
2.46	2.36	2.16	1.95	1.71	1.53	1.34	1.20	1.04	
3.80	3.45	3.03	2.64	2.32	2.08	1.82	1.64	1.43	
0.30	0.28	0.22	0.21	—0.03	—0.22	—0.41	—0.54	—0.70	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
38.12	41.06	43.58	45.81	48.01	49.99	51.59	52.88	53.89	54.63
21.68	26.83	31.40	35.28	38.66	41.43	43.49	45.26	46.77	48.00
16.45	14.23	12.19	10.53	9.35	8.56	8.10	7.62	7.12	6.63
56.86	65.35	72.04	77.01	80.53	82.87	84.30	85.60	86.78	87.87
36.39	30.14	24.60	19.93	16.05		10.20		6.27	4.90
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
1.48	1.19	1.00	0.94	0.81	0.63	0.49	0.38	0.27	
4.26	3.14	2.33	1.83	1.38	0.97	0.80	0.65	0.52	
—2.90	—3.10	—2.92	—2.38	—1.76	—1.11	—1.23	—1.34	—1.44	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
6.40	7.28	8.25	9.20	10.05	10.78	11.54	12.41	13.27	13.99
0.66	0.79	0.96	1.18	1.46	1.81	2.28	2.85	3.51	4.22
5.74	6.50	7.29	8.02	8.59	8.97	9.26	9.56	9.76	9.77
10.30	10.80	11.63	12.85	14.54	16.79	19.73	22.96	26.46	30.19
74.38	72.26	69.99	67.64	65.46		60.62		55.59	53.10
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
2.59	2.48	2.20	1.75	1.42	1.35	1.45	1.34	1.06	
3.54	3.96	4.19	4.22	4.30	4.58	4.48	4.18	3.69	
2.48	2.29	1.92	1.36	0.88	0.63	0.62	0.41	0.02	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,
Indonesia

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	79.54	86.55	96.19	107.04	120.28	135.67
	Urban	9.87	11.65	14.03	16.90	20.53	26.26
	Rural	69.67	74.90	82.16	90.14	99.75	109.41
	% of Urban Population	12.41	13.46	14.59	15.79	17.07	19.36
% of Agricultural Population		79.02		74.80		66.30	61.76
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.69	2.11	2.14	2.33	2.41	2.14
	Urban	3.32	3.72	3.72	3.89	4.92	4.88
	Rural	1.45	1.85	1.85	2.03	1.85	1.42

Lao People's Democratic Rep.

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	1.75	1.94	2.18	2.43	2.71	3.02
	Urban	0.13	0.15	0.17	0.20	0.26	0.34
	Rural	1.63	1.80	2.00	2.23	2.45	2.68
	% of Urban Population	7.24	7.59	7.95	8.32	9.63	11.38
% of Agricultural Population		84.96		83.06		78.89	77.31
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.05	2.26	2.22	2.18	2.18	1.16
	Urban	2.98	3.19	3.14	5.09	5.52	4.50
	Rural	1.97	2.18	2.13	1.90	1.78	0.69

Malaysia

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	6.11	7.00	8.14	9.50	10.85	12.26
	Urban	1.24	1.64	2.05	2.48	2.93	3.74
	Rural	4.87	5.36	6.09	7.02	7.92	8.52
	% of Urban Population	20.36	23.42	25.22	26.10	26.99	30.48
% of Agricultural Population		67.28		63.24		53.79	47.74
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.72	3.02	3.09	2.66	2.44	2.32
	Urban	5.52	4.50	3.77	3.33	4.87	4.65
	Rural	1.94	2.54	2.86	2.41	1.46	1.20

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
150.96	166.46	180.51	194.81	208.33	220.57	231.96	243.04	253.56	263.25
33.51	42.17	51.97	63.37	75.96	89.30	103.18	117.65	132.41	147.08
117.44	124.29	128.54	134.44	132.37	131.28	128.78	125.39	121.15	116.17
22.20	25.33	28.79	32.53	36.46	40.48	44.48	48.41	52.22	55.87
57.21	52.85	48.45	44.08	39.79		31.73		24.63	21.51
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
1.96	1.62	1.52	1.34	1.14	1.01	0.93	0.85	0.75	
4.60	4.18	3.96	3.62	3.24	2.89	2.63	2.36	2.10	
1.13	0.67	0.45	0.14	-0.17	-0.38	-0.53	-0.69	-0.84	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
3.21	3.59	4.07	4.58	5.13	5.69	6.23	6.76	7.26	7.74
0.43	0.57	0.76	1.00	1.29	1.64	2.03	2.47	2.94	3.45
2.77	3.02	3.31	3.59	3.84	4.05	4.20	4.29	4.32	4.29
13.44	15.85	18.61	21.71	25.12	28.77	32.59	36.54	40.55	44.55
75.75	73.68	71.56	69.29	66.96		62.10		57.05	54.49
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.29	2.49	2.37	2.27	2.06	1.82	1.61	1.44	1.27	
5.58	5.70	5.45	5.18	4.77	4.32	3.90	3.52	3.15	
1.73	1.82	1.59	1.38	1.06	0.72	0.40	0.13	-0.12	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
13.76	15.45	17.34	19.19	20.87	22.32	23.69	25.13	26.56	27.89
4.71	5.90	7.34	8.90	10.51	12.07	13.66	15.33	17.04	18.71
9.05	9.54	10.00	10.29	10.36	10.25	10.03	9.80	9.52	9.18
34.25	38.22	42.31	46.39	50.35	54.09	57.65	61.01	64.16	67.09
41.59	36.72	32.07	27.74	23.78		17.09		12.04	10.06
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.31	2.31	2.02	1.68	1.34	1.19	1.18	1.10	0.98	
4.51	4.34	3.87	3.32	2.77	2.47	2.31	2.11	1.87	
1.06	0.94	0.56	0.15	-0.22	-0.42	-0.47	-0.58	-0.73	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,
Myanmar

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	17.83	19.56	21.75	24.17	27.10	30.44
	Urban	2.88	3.45	4.19	5.07	6.19	7.28
	Rural	14.96	16.11	17.56	19.09	20.91	23.17
% of Urban Population		16.13	17.64	19.26	21.00	22.84	23.90
% of Agricultural Population		70.43		68.44		59.09	56.03
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.85	2.12	2.11	2.29	2.32	2.11
	Urban	3.64	3.88	3.83	3.98	3.23	2.11
	Rural	1.49	1.72	1.68	1.82	2.05	2.11

Philippines

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	20.99	23.91	27.56	32.03	37.54	42.56
	Urban	5.70	6.86	8.35	10.12	12.38	15.14
	Rural	15.29	17.05	19.21	21.91	25.16	27.43
% of Urban Population		27.14	28.70	30.30	31.60	32.98	35.56
% of Agricultural Population		67.04		61.17		54.76	53.31
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.61	2.84	3.01	3.17	2.51	2.53
	Urban	3.73	3.92	3.85	4.03	4.02	3.52
	Rural	2.17	2.39	2.63	2.77	1.73	1.97

Singapore

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	1.02	1.31	1.63	1.88	2.07	2.26
	Urban	1.02	1.31	1.63	1.88	2.07	2.26
	Rural	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
% of Urban Population		100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
% of Agricultural Population		8.13		7.40		3.44	2.53
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	4.90	4.48	2.81	1.97	1.73	1.30
	Urban	4.90	4.48	2.81	1.97	1.73	1.30
	Rural	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
33.82	37.54	41.68	46.28	51.13	55.95	60.57	64.86	68.74	72.62
8.08	8.97	10.25	12.03	14.41	17.45	21.27	25.36	29.64	34.18
25.74	28.57	31.43	34.25	36.72	38.50	39.30	39.50	39.11	38.44
23.90	23.90	24.59	25.99	28.17	31.20	35.11	39.10	43.11	47.07
52.99	49.96	47.04	44.17	41.40		35.93		30.67	28.19
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.09	2.09	2.09	2.00	1.80	1.59	1.37	1.16	1.00	
2.09	2.65	3.21	3.61	3.84	3.95	3.53	3.11	2.85	
2.09	1.91	1.72	1.40	0.94	0.41	0.10	-0.20	-0.34	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
48.32	55.12	62.41	69.92	77.45	84.88	92.04	99.22	105.29	111.39
18.05	21.84	26.43	31.81	37.95	44.81	51.92	59.39	66.41	73.62
30.26	33.28	35.98	38.11	39.49	40.07	40.11	39.84	38.88	37.78
37.36	39.63	42.35	45.50	49.01	52.79	56.42	59.85	63.08	66.09
51.77	49.21	46.75	44.24	41.80		36.90		32.12	29.82
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.63	2.48	2.27	2.04	1.83	1.62	1.50	1.19	1.13	
3.81	3.81	3.71	3.53	3.32	2.95	2.69	2.24	2.06	
1.90	1.56	1.15	0.71	0.29	0.02	-0.14	-0.49	-0.57	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
2.41	2.56	2.70	2.84	2.95	3.04	3.12	3.18	3.22	3.24
2.41	2.56	2.70	2.84	2.95	3.04	3.12	3.18	3.22	3.24
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
1.61	1.22	1.00	0.82	0.65		0.35		0.22	0.15
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
1.16	1.09	0.97	0.79	0.62	0.48	0.38	0.27	0.12	
1.16	1.09	0.97	0.79	0.62	0.48	0.38	0.27	0.12	
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,
Thailand

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	20.01	22.76	26.39	30.64	35.75	41.36
	Urban	2.10	2.61	3.30	3.94	4.75	6.28
	Rural	17.91	20.15	23.09	26.70	30.99	35.08
% of Urban Population		10.48	11.47	12.51	12.86	13.29	15.19
% of Agricultural Population		85.69		83.73		79.75	75.31
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.58	2.96	2.99	3.08	2.92	2.44
	Urban	4.39	4.70	3.53	3.74	5.59	5.05
	Rural	2.35	2.72	2.91	2.98	2.47	1.93

Viet Nam

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	29.95	32.01	34.74	38.34	42.73	48.03
	Urban	3.51	4.20	5.11	6.30	7.82	9.02
	Rural	26.45	27.81	29.64	32.04	34.91	39.01
% of Urban Population		11.71	13.13	14.70	16.42	18.30	18.78
% of Agricultural Population		83.34		81.51		76.60	72.04
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.33	1.64	1.97	2.17	2.34	2.23
	Urban	3.62	3.90	4.18	4.33	2.86	2.75
	Rural	1.00	1.27	1.56	1.71	2.22	2.11

Afghanistan

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	8.96	9.73	10.78	12.07	13.62	15.38
	Urban	0.52	0.66	0.86	1.13	1.50	2.02
	Rural	8.44	9.07	9.91	10.94	12.12	13.36
% of Urban Population		5.80	6.82	7.99	9.35	11.03	13.14
% of Agricultural Population		75.49		71.51		66.09	63.56
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.66	2.03	2.27	2.42	2.42	0.87
	Urban	4.89	5.22	5.41	5.72	5.92	4.35
	Rural	1.45	1.78	1.97	2.04	1.94	0.29

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
46.72	51.60	55.70	59.61	63.67	67.72	71.59	75.07	78.12	80.91
8.09	10.21	12.61	15.41	18.74	22.54	26.67	30.97	35.35	39.77
38.63	41.39	43.09	44.19	44.93	45.18	44.92	44.09	42.77	41.14
17.31	19.79	22.64	25.86	29.43	33.29	37.25	41.26	45.25	49.16
70.89	67.67	64.27	60.74	57.11		49.70		42.36	38.80
1980 — 1985	1985 — 1990	1990 — 1995	1995 — 2000	2000 — 2005	2005 — 2010	2010 — 2015	2015 — 2020	2020 — 2025	
1.99	1.53	1.35	1.32	1.23	1.11	0.95	0.80	0.70	
4.66	4.22	4.02	3.91	3.70	3.36	2.99	2.64	2.36	
1.38	0.80	0.50	0.33	0.11	-0.11	-0.37	-0.61	-0.78	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
53.70	60.06	67.17	75.03	83.03	90.80	98.04	104.59	111.23	117.97
10.35	12.19	14.71	18.11	22.50	28.02	34.08	40.53	47.56	55.12
43.35	47.87	52.47	56.92	60.53	62.78	63.96	64.06	63.67	62.85
19.27	20.29	21.89	24.14	27.10	30.86	34.76	38.75	42.76	46.72
67.48	64.09	60.56	56.91	53.20		45.72		38.51	35.08
1980 — 1985	1985 — 1990	1990 — 1995	1995 — 2000	2000 — 2005	2005 — 2010	2010 — 2015	2015 — 2020	2020 — 2025	
2.24	2.24	2.21	2.03	1.79	1.54	1.29	1.23	1.18	
3.27	3.75	4.16	4.34	4.38	3.92	3.46	3.20	2.95	
1.98	1.83	1.63	1.23	0.73	0.37	0.03	-0.12	-0.26	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
16.06	14.52	16.56	23.14	26.61	29.82	32.76	35.65	38.44	41.06
2.51	2.69	3.60	5.85	7.74	9.85	12.12	14.61	17.29	20.08
13.55	11.83	12.96	17.29	18.87	19.97	20.65	21.04	21.15	20.99
15.64	18.50	21.73	25.28	29.08	33.02	36.98	40.99	44.98	48.89
61.02	57.88	54.72	51.45	48.18		41.55		35.15	32.11
1980 — 1985	1985 — 1990	1990 — 1995	1995 — 2000	2000 — 2005	2005 — 2010	2010 — 2015	2015 — 2020	2020 — 2025	
-2.02	2.63	6.70	2.79	2.28	1.89	1.69	1.51	1.32	
1.34	5.84	9.72	5.59	4.82	4.15	3.75	3.36	2.99	
-2.71	1.82	5.77	1.75	1.13	0.67	0.37	0.11	-0.16	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,

Bangladesh

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	41.78	45.49	51.42	58.31	66.67	76.58
	Urban	1.82	2.15	2.65	3.63	5.07	6.98
	Rural	39.96	43.33	48.77	54.68	61.60	69.60
	% of Urban Population	4.35	4.73	5.15	6.22	7.61	9.12
% of Agricultural Population		88.14		86.03		81.44	78.12
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.70	2.45	2.52	2.68	2.77	2.83
	Urban	3.39	4.13	6.31	6.70	6.39	5.49
	Rural	1.62	2.36	2.29	2.38	2.44	2.54

India

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	357.56	395.10	442.35	495.16	554.91	620.70
	Urban	61.69	69.54	79.41	93.08	109.62	133.27
	Rural	295.87	325.56	362.93	402.07	445.30	487.43
	% of Urban Population	17.25	17.60	17.95	18.80	19.75	21.47
% of Agricultural Population		78.47		74.10		71.73	70.74
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.00	2.26	2.26	2.28	2.24	2.08
	Urban	2.39	2.66	3.18	3.27	3.91	3.83
	Rural	1.91	2.17	2.05	2.04	1.81	1.58

Islamic Republic of Iran

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	14.21	17.06	20.30	24.08	28.40	33.34
	Urban	3.94	5.22	6.83	8.86	11.65	15.24
	Rural	10.27	11.84	13.47	15.21	16.75	18.10
	% of Urban Population	27.71	30.59	33.63	36.81	41.02	45.71
% of Agricultural Population		61.07		53.92		43.76	39.91
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	3.66	3.48	3.41	3.30	3.21	3.08
	Urban	5.64	5.37	5.22	5.46	5.38	4.50
	Rural	2.85	2.58	2.43	1.92	1.56	1.81

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
88.22	101.15	115.59	132.22	150.59	170.14	188.20	204.63	220.12	234.99
9.19	12.01	15.76	20.82	27.49	36.05	46.20	57.63	70.36	84.36
79.03	89.14	99.83	111.40	123.10	134.09	141.99	147.01	149.76	150.63
10.42	11.87	13.63	15.75	18.26	21.19	24.55	28.16	31.96	35.90
74.81	71.78	68.54	65.11	61.53		54.04		46.42	42.67
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.73	2.67	2.69	2.60	2.44	2.02	1.67	1.46	1.31	
5.35	5.44	5.57	5.56	5.42	4.96	4.42	3.99	3.63	
2.41	2.27	2.19	2.00	1.71	1.15	0.69	0.37	0.12	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
688.86	769.18	853.37	947.33	1,042.53	1,136.09	1,225.31	1,306.26	1,374.47	1,445.57
161.40	196.23	238.95	292.81	356.88	430.93	513.90	599.82	684.61	774.31
527.45	572.95	614.43	654.51	685.65	705.15	711.40	706.44	689.86	671.26
23.43	25.51	28.00	30.91	34.23	37.93	41.94	45.92	49.81	53.56
69.73	68.13	66.50	64.85	63.18		59.81		56.36	54.59
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.21	2.08	2.09	1.92	1.72	1.51	1.28	1.02	1.01	
3.91	3.94	4.07	3.96	3.77	3.52	3.09	2.64	2.46	
1.65	1.40	1.26	0.93	0.56	0.18	-0.14	-0.48	-0.55	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
38.90	47.62	56.59	64.53	74.46	84.65	94.69	104.34	113.55	122.17
19.09	24.72	31.07	37.42	45.49	54.29	63.51	72.83	82.11	91.16
19.81	22.90	25.52	27.11	28.97	30.35	31.18	31.51	31.44	31.00
49.06	51.91	54.90	57.99	61.09	64.14	67.08	69.80	72.31	74.62
36.36	31.34	27.53	23.97	20.67		15.12		10.85	9.17
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
4.05	3.45	2.63	2.86	2.56	2.24	1.94	1.69	1.46	
5.17	4.57	3.72	3.91	3.54	3.14	2.74	2.40	2.09	
2.90	2.16	1.21	1.33	0.93	0.53	0.22	-0.05	-0.28	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,
Nepal

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	8.18	8.68	9.40	10.34	11.49	13.00
	Urban	0.19	0.23	0.29	0.36	0.45	0.63
	Rural	7.99	8.44	9.11	9.98	11.04	12.37
% of Urban Population		2.29	2.67	3.11	3.50	3.91	4.84
% of Agricultural Population		95.68		94.34		93.62	93.29
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.17	1.61	1.90	2.10	2.47	2.67
	Urban	4.24	4.67	4.30	4.33	6.72	7.35
	Rural	1.09	1.52	1.82	2.01	2.28	2.40

Pakistan

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	39.51	44.19	49.95	57.14	65.71	74.73
	Urban	6.92	8.71	11.04	13.45	16.35	19.73
	Rural	32.59	35.48	38.91	43.69	49.35	55.00
% of Urban Population		17.52	19.71	22.10	23.54	24.89	26.40
% of Agricultural Population		68.81		60.77		58.85	56.80
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.24	2.45	2.69	2.79	2.57	2.64
	Urban	4.60	4.74	3.95	3.90	3.75	3.87
	Rural	1.70	1.85	2.32	2.44	2.17	2.19

Sri Lanka

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	7.68	8.72	9.89	11.16	12.51	13.60
	Urban	1.11	1.40	1.77	2.22	2.74	3.00
	Rural	6.57	7.32	8.12	8.95	9.78	10.60
% of Urban Population		14.41	16.09	17.92	19.86	21.87	22.04
% of Agricultural Population		58.05		56.56		55.28	54.33
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.55	2.51	2.43	2.28	1.67	1.71
	Urban	4.76	4.67	4.48	4.21	1.83	1.28
	Rural	2.16	2.07	1.95	1.77	1.62	1.83

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
14.86	16.92	19.14	21.52	24.08	26.58	28.90	31.05	33.08	34.97
0.91	1.30	1.84	2.54	3.45	4.54	5.79	7.24	8.88	10.69
13.95	15.61	17.31	18.98	20.64	22.04	23.11	23.82	24.20	24.28
6.12	7.70	9.59	11.80	14.31	17.08	20.05	23.31	26.84	30.58
92.96	92.37	91.72	90.98	90.22		88.47		86.48	85.55
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
2.59	2.47	2.34	2.25	1.97	1.68	1.44	1.26	1.11	
7.21	6.86	6.48	6.11	5.51	4.88	4.46	4.08	3.72	
2.25	2.06	1.85	1.67	1.31	0.95	0.60	0.32	0.06	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
85.30	103.24	122.67	141.60	162.47	183.64	205.47	227.31	248.11	267.09
23.94	30.75	39.23	49.08	61.44	76.06	93.29	112.09	131.71	151.42
61.36	72.49	83.44	92.52	101.03	107.58	112.18	115.23	116.40	115.67
28.06	29.79	31.98	34.66	37.82	41.42	45.40	49.31	53.08	56.69
54.59	52.14	49.65	47.10	44.56		39.42		34.35	31.88
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
3.82	3.45	2.87	2.75	2.45	2.25	2.02	1.75	1.47	
5.01	4.87	4.48	4.49	4.27	4.08	3.67	3.23	2.79	
3.33	2.81	2.07	1.76	1.26	0.84	0.54	0.20	—0.13	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
14.82	16.11	17.21	18.32	19.38	20.39	21.46	22.54	23.55	24.45
3.20	3.40	3.68	4.10	4.69	5.49	6.59	7.80	9.09	10.41
11.62	12.71	13.53	14.22	14.69	14.89	14.87	14.75	14.47	14.04
21.57	21.10	21.37	22.38	24.21	26.95	30.69	34.59	38.58	42.59
53.36	52.52	51.69	50.86	50.03		48.37		46.69	45.84
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
1.67	1.32	1.25	1.13	1.01	1.02	0.99	0.88	0.75	
1.23	1.57	2.18	2.70	3.15	3.63	3.38	3.06	2.72	
1.79	1.25	0.99	0.65	0.27	—0.03	—0.17	—0.38	—0.60	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,
Democratic Yemen

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	0.99	1.09	1.21	1.35	1.50	1.65
	Urban	0.19	0.25	0.34	0.41	0.48	0.57
	Rural	0.81	0.84	0.87	0.95	1.02	1.09
% of Urban Population		18.80	23.08	28.00	30.03	32.14	34.32
% of Agricultural Population		70.10		58.12		50.85	46.09
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.85	2.09	2.24	2.05	1.99	2.36
	Urban	5.95	5.96	3.64	3.41	3.31	3.82
	Rural	0.76	0.77	1.67	1.44	1.34	1.56

Iraq

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	5.16	5.91	6.85	7.98	9.36	11.02
	Urban	1.81	2.22	2.94	4.04	5.25	6.76
	Rural	3.35	3.69	3.91	3.94	4.10	4.26
% of Urban Population		35.12	37.63	42.90	50.65	56.16	61.38
% of Agricultural Population		57.97		53.14		47.09	37.13
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.72	2.94	3.05	3.19	3.27	3.75
	Urban	4.10	5.56	6.38	5.25	5.05	5.31
	Rural	1.94	1.18	0.13	0.83	0.74	0.99

Jordan

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	1.24	1.45	1.69	1.96	2.30	2.60
	Urban	0.43	0.56	0.72	0.91	1.16	1.44
	Rural	0.81	0.89	0.97	1.05	1.14	1.16
% of Urban Population		34.67	38.63	42.74	46.29	50.56	55.38
% of Agricultural Population		54.49		45.36		27.77	19.09
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	3.14	3.16	2.93	3.17	2.46	2.34
	Urban	5.30	5.19	4.52	4.94	4.28	3.97
	Rural	1.89	1.78	1.65	1.51	0.41	0.11

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
1.86	2.14	2.49	2.93	3.43	3.99	4.58	5.19	5.80	6.40
0.69	0.85	1.08	1.37	1.74	2.17	2.66	3.19	3.74	4.32
1.17	1.28	1.41	1.55	1.69	1.81	1.92	2.01	2.06	2.09
36.92	39.91	43.26	46.91	50.77	54.49	58.02	61.36	64.49	67.40
41.06	36.36	31.80	27.57	23.59		16.94		11.86	9.81
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.76	3.07	3.23	3.16	3.00	2.80	2.49	2.22	1.97	
4.32	4.68	4.85	4.74	4.42	4.06	3.61	3.21	2.86	
1.79	1.92	1.90	1.65	1.43	1.18	0.84	0.53	0.26	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
13.29	15.90	18.92	22.41	26.34	30.68	35.32	40.17	45.08	49.99
8.82	11.23	14.03	17.27	20.89	24.86	29.18	33.77	38.49	43.29
4.47	4.67	4.89	5.14	5.45	5.82	6.14	6.40	6.59	6.70
66.36	70.63	74.18	77.05	79.31	81.04	82.62	84.06	85.38	86.59
30.44	24.49	20.49	17.06	14.06		8.93		5.61	4.43
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
3.58	3.48	3.39	3.23	3.05	2.82	2.57	2.30	2.07	
4.83	4.46	4.15	3.81	3.48	3.21	2.92	2.62	2.35	
0.87	0.90	1.03	1.15	1.30	1.08	0.84	0.57	0.35	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
2.92	3.51	4.27	5.22	6.33	7.58	8.94	10.32	11.73	13.13
1.76	2.26	2.91	3.72	4.68	5.78	6.99	8.26	9.58	10.92
1.17	1.25	1.36	1.50	1.65	1.81	1.95	2.07	2.15	2.21
60.09	64.37	68.12	71.33	74.00	76.18	78.17	79.99	81.66	83.19
10.24	7.88	5.95	4.58	3.42		1.96		1.10	0.83
1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
3.64	3.94	4.01	3.86	3.62	3.29	2.87	2.55	2.26	
5.01	5.08	4.93	4.60	4.20	3.81	3.34	2.96	2.63	
1.37	1.72	1.89	1.90	1.87	1.54	1.13	0.81	0.52	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,

Lebanon

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	1.44	1.61	1.86	2.15	2.47	2.77
	Urban	0.33	0.49	0.74	1.06	1.47	1.90
	Rural	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.09	1.00	0.87
% of Urban Population		22.68	30.47	39.57	49.45	59.38	68.59
% of Agricultural Population		55.10		38.25		19.75	16.99
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.23	2.82	2.94	2.75	2.28	-0.72
	Urban	8.14	8.04	7.40	6.41	5.17	1.21
	Rural	0.11	0.01	-0.63	-1.62	-2.86	-5.71

Saudi Arabia

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	3.20	3.59	4.07	4.79	5.74	7.25
	Urban	0.51	0.79	1.21	1.86	2.80	4.26
	Rural	2.69	2.80	2.86	2.93	2.95	3.00
% of Urban Population		15.87	22.02	29.72	38.77	48.67	58.68
% of Agricultural Population		76.38		71.18		64.15	56.27
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.31	2.52	3.25	3.62	4.66	5.13
	Urban	8.87	8.51	8.57	8.17	8.40	7.74
	Rural	0.79	0.44	0.49	0.09	0.32	0.73

Syrian Arab Republic

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	3.50	3.97	4.56	5.32	6.26	7.44
	Urban	1.07	1.33	1.68	2.13	2.71	3.38
	Rural	2.42	2.63	2.88	3.19	3.55	4.06
% of Urban Population		30.63	33.63	36.76	40.01	43.35	45.41
% of Agricultural Population		58.45		54.21		50.18	41.09
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.53	2.79	3.10	3.23	3.45	3.36
	Urban	4.40	4.57	4.79	4.83	4.39	4.23
	Rural	1.65	1.82	2.04	2.08	2.71	2.61

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
2.67	2.67	2.97	3.29	3.60	3.90	4.17	4.43	4.69	4.95
2.02	2.15	2.48	2.82	3.13	3.43	3.71	3.99	4.26	4.53
0.65	0.52	0.48	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.46	0.45	0.43	0.42
75.53	80.43	83.73	85.83	86.99	88.06	89.04	89.93	90.75	91.50
14.29	11.70	9.40	7.44	5.86		3.59		2.19	1.69
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
—0.01	2.11	2.05	1.84	1.56	1.36	1.22	1.14	1.07	
1.25	2.92	2.55	2.11	1.81	1.58	1.42	1.32	1.24	
—4.48	—1.58	—0.70	0.12	—0.15	—0.35	—0.48	—0.56	—0.61	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
9.37	11.59	14.13	17.12	20.69	24.86	29.55	34.57	39.67	44.78
6.27	8.46	10.93	13.72	16.92	20.71	25.03	29.72	34.56	39.49
3.11	3.13	3.21	3.40	3.76	4.14	4.52	4.85	5.10	5.29
66.85	72.99	77.32	80.16	81.81	83.33	84.71	85.98	87.13	88.19
48.45	43.77	39.18	34.69	30.42		22.76		16.50	13.91
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
4.26	3.96	3.83	3.79	3.67	3.46	3.14	2.75	2.42	
6.01	5.11	4.56	4.19	4.04	3.79	3.43	3.02	2.67	
0.16	0.47	1.16	2.04	1.94	1.73	1.41	1.03	0.71	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
8.80	10.46	12.50	14.90	17.61	20.59	23.65	26.65	29.52	32.27
4.17	5.17	6.48	8.12	10.11	12.46	15.07	17.77	20.49	23.23
4.63	5.29	6.02	6.78	7.50	8.13	8.58	8.88	9.02	9.05
47.43	49.45	51.83	54.51	57.43	60.53	63.71	66.68	69.43	71.97
32.31	27.46	24.09	21.04	18.24		13.50		9.83	8.37
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
3.45	3.57	3.52	3.34	3.12	2.77	2.39	2.05	1.78	
4.29	4.51	4.53	4.38	4.17	3.80	3.30	2.85	2.50	
2.67	2.61	2.37	2.01	1.61	1.09	0.69	0.32	0.05	

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population,

Yemen Arab Republic

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	3.32	3.85	4.04	4.49	4.83	5.28
	Urban	0.06	0.09	0.14	0.23	0.36	0.58
	Rural	3.26	3.55	3.90	4.26	4.47	4.70
% of Urban Population		1.90	2.54	3.40	5.08	7.52	11.00
% of Agricultural Population		83.62		81.50		76.40	72.51
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	1.85	2.05	2.13	1.47	1.77	2.53
	Urban	7.69	7.85	10.15	9.32	9.38	9.07
	Rural	1.72	1.87	1.78	0.95	1.00	1.55

Israel

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	1.26	1.75	2.11	2.56	2.97	3.45
	Urban	0.81	1.24	1.63	2.07	2.50	2.99
	Rural	0.44	0.50	0.49	0.49	0.47	0.46
% of Urban Population		64.63	71.19	76.96	80.94	84.20	86.64
% of Agricultural Population		18.46		14.36		9.69	7.98
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	6.58	3.80	3.85	2.98	3.00	2.31
	Urban	8.51	5.36	4.86	3.77	3.57	2.75
	Rural	2.48	-0.67	0.06	-0.77	-0.37	-0.83

Turkey

		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Population Size (in Millions)	Total	20.81	23.86	27.51	31.15	35.32	40.03
	Urban	4.44	6.13	8.18	10.63	13.57	16.65
	Rural	16.37	17.72	19.33	20.52	21.75	23.37
% of Urban Population		21.35	25.71	29.74	34.12	38.42	41.60
% of Agricultural Population		87.00		78.72		70.69	64.78
		1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Population Growth Rate (Percent Per Year)	Total	2.74	2.85	2.49	2.51	2.50	2.09
	Urban	6.46	5.76	5.23	4.89	4.09	3.11
	Rural	1.59	1.73	1.20	1.16	1.44	1.33

1950—2025 (Continued)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
5.99	6.89	8.02	9.42	11.15	13.19	15.54	18.10	20.72	23.34
0.91	1.38	2.00	2.79	3.72	4.93	6.43	8.21	10.21	12.38
5.08	5.51	6.02	6.64	7.42	8.26	9.11	9.89	10.51	10.95
15.26	20.04	24.96	29.56	33.42	37.39	41.40	45.38	49.29	53.06
68.79	65.80	62.74	59.57	56.32		49.72		43.22	40.10
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
2.78	3.04	3.24	3.35	3.37	3.28	3.05	2.70	2.38	
8.23	7.43	6.62	5.81	5.61	5.32	4.89	4.36	3.86	
1.62	1.77	1.97	2.23	2.14	1.96	1.64	1.22	0.83	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
3.88	4.23	4.58	4.92	5.28	5.65	6.01	6.35	6.65	6.93
3.43	3.82	4.20	4.56	4.93	5.31	5.68	6.03	6.35	6.64
0.44	0.41	0.38	0.36	0.35	0.33	0.33	0.32	0.31	0.29
88.58	90.27	91.60	92.65	93.46	94.08	94.55	94.98	95.38	95.75
6.23	5.16	4.26	3.54	2.91		1.97		1.35	1.09
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
1.75	1.58	1.43	1.41	1.35	1.24	1.09	0.95	0.82	
2.13	1.87	1.66	1.58	1.48	1.34	1.18	1.03	0.90	
— 1.45	— 1.37	— 1.22	— 0.93	— 0.66	— 0.41	— 0.56	— 0.70	— 0.82	
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
44.44	50.34	55.62	61.15	66.62	71.80	76.64	81.17	85.43	89.65
19.46	23.12	26.93	31.33	36.19	41.35	46.71	52.03	57.28	62.54
24.98	27.23	28.69	29.82	30.43	30.45	29.93	29.14	28.15	27.10
43.78	45.92	48.42	51.24	54.32	57.58	60.95	64.11	67.04	69.77
58.39	53.24	48.18	43.64	39.42		32.15		25.49	22.33
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
— 1985	— 1990	— 1995	— 2000	— 2005	— 2010	— 2015	— 2020	— 2025	
2.50	1.99	1.90	1.71	1.50	1.31	1.15	1.02	0.96	
3.45	3.05	3.03	2.88	2.66	2.44	2.16	1.92	1.76	
1.72	1.05	0.77	0.41	0.01	— 0.35	— 0.54	— 0.68	— 0.76	

4 Urban Population, Number of Cities and Percentage of Urban Population by City

Region/Size Class		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
World Total							
4000 +	Population	87,825	109,955	136,262	156,146	186,922	230,280
	No. of Cities	13	16	19	20	23	29
	% of Urban	11.9	12.8	13.4	13.2	13.7	14.7
2000 - 3999	Population	46,955	47,158	66,966	91,497	109,242	129,181
	No. of Cities	17	17	26	34	39	47
	% of Urban	6.4	5.5	6.6	7.7	8.0	8.3
1000 - 1999	Population	65,470	85,381	95,930	110,454	136,070	141,836
	No. of Cities	48	60	69	80	98	102
	% of Urban	8.9	9.9	9.5	9.3	10.0	9.1
500 - 999	Population	69,551	82,262	94,764	109,205	120,049	156,702
	No. of Cities	101	119	136	156	173	224
	% of Urban	9.5	9.6	9.4	9.2	8.8	10.0
250 - 499	Population	66,050	75,842	90,210	106,824	133,148	153,021
	No. of Cities	192	221	263	310	384	445
	% of Urban	9.0	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.8	9.8
100 - 249	Population	86,716	101,553	115,350	132,344	145,548	148,203
	No. of Cities	575	672	749	845	930	925
	% of Urban	11.8	11.8	11.4	11.2	10.7	9.5
Under 100	Population	312,665	357,816	413,634	478,880	529,996	602,009
	% of Urban	42.5	41.6	40.8	40.4	38.9	38.6
More Developed Regions							
4000 +	Population	55,781	71,269	80,688	88,553	98,945	110,494
	No. of Cities	8	10	10	10	11	13
	% of Urban	12.5	14.2	14.2	13.9	14.2	14.7
2000 - 3999	Population	30,100	26,315	41,635	51,442	55,506	54,664
	No. of Cities	11	10	16	19	20	20
	% of Urban	6.8	5.2	7.3	8.1	8.0	7.3
1000 - 1999	Population	39,869	48,707	50,946	59,351	71,583	75,988
	No. of Cities	28	33	36	43	52	54
	% of Urban	8.9	9.7	8.9	9.3	10.3	10.1
500 - 999	Population	40,474	47,550	53,150	60,545	65,079	73,112
	No. of Cities	59	70	77	87	93	102
	% of Urban	9.1	9.4	9.3	9.5	9.4	9.7
250 - 499	Population	41,356	45,020	52,316	58,102	64,829	75,814
	No. of Cities	121	132	151	168	189	220
	% of Urban	9.3	8.9	9.2	9.1	9.3	10.1
100 - 249	Population	49,634	58,733	65,352	72,796	81,144	83,656
	No. of Cities	333	394	429	471	520	521
	% of Urban	11.1	11.7	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.1
Under 100	Population	188,456	205,883	225,697	244,482	258,343	278,899
	% of Urban	42.3	40.9	39.6	38.5	37.1	37.1

-Size Class, Major Region and Area, 1950—2050

							Population (in Thousands)		
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
281,389	341,583	405,557	494,687	587,267	711,488	826,701	959,143	1,094,316	1,255,062
35	42	48	58	66	80	90	103	116	135
15.8	17.0	17.7	19.0	19.9	21.3	22.0	22.8	23.5	24.6
140,890	154,482	197,966	232,951	290,335	316,823	379,993	423,500	469,591	493,175
51	56	72	85	106	116	139	154	170	182
7.9	7.7	8.7	9.0	9.8	9.5	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.7
182,337	219,128	246,731	286,258	326,359	377,936	399,045	419,409	444,649	457,117
136	158	178	205	236	269	282	292	310	322
10.3	10.9	10.8	11.0	11.1	11.3	10.6	10.0	9.6	9.0
176,331	207,274	242,702	269,520	282,645					
258	300	350	384	402					
9.9	10.3	10.6	10.4	9.6					
170,731	188,272	195,991							
496	539	557							
9.6	9.4	8.6							
148,142									
910									
8.3									
675,932									
38.1									
113,253	119,458	125,302	127,092	132,514	141,474	141,987	146,052	149,710	152,921
13	14	15	15	16	18	18	19	20	21
14.1	14.1	14.0	13.5	13.4	13.6	13.1	13.0	12.9	12.8
63,670	70,838	78,416	86,292	93,825	92,713	101,243	101,568	99,556	101,104
23	26	29	31	34	34	37	37	36	37
7.9	8.3	8.7	9.1	9.5	8.9	9.4	9.1	8.9	8.5
91,131	95,892	94,570	108,085	111,132	116,086	116,496	119,510	130,227	134,678
67	70	67	77	79	82	82	83	91	95
11.4	11.3	10.5	11.4	11.2	11.2	10.8	10.7	11.3	11.3
74,975	83,257	99,164	101,733	109,654					
111	123	143	148	159					
9.3	9.8	11.1	10.8	11.1					
82,285	90,997	100,805							
241	265	294							
10.3	10.7	11.2							
81,888									
496									
10.2									
294,755									
36.8									

4 Urban Population, Number of Cities and Percentage of Urban Population by City

Region/Size Class		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Less Developed Regions							
4000+	Population	32,045	38,686	55,574	67,592	87,977	119,785
	No. of Cities	5	8	9	10	12	16
	% of Urban	11.1	10.9	12.5	12.3	13.2	14.8
2000-3999	Population	16,855	20,842	25,331	40,055	53,735	74,517
	No. of Cities	6	7	10	15	19	27
	% of Urban	5.8	5.8	5.7	7.3	8.1	9.2
1000-1999	Population	25,601	36,674	44,984	51,103	64,487	65,848
	No. of Cities	20	27	33	37	46	48
	% of Urban	8.8	10.3	10.1	9.3	9.7	8.1
500-999	Population	29,077	34,712	41,614	48,660	54,971	83,590
	No. of Cities	42	49	59	69	80	122
	% of Urban	10.0	9.7	9.4	8.8	8.3	10.3
250-499	Population	24,694	30,822	37,894	48,722	68,319	77,207
	No. of Cities	71	89	112	142	195	225
	% of Urban	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.9	10.3	9.5
100-249	Population	37,083	42,820	49,997	59,548	64,404	64,547
	No. of Cities	242	278	320	374	410	404
	% of Urban	12.8	12.0	11.3	10.8	9.7	8.0
Under 100	Population	124,210	151,932	187,936	234,398	271,653	323,110
	% of Urban	42.9	42.6	42.4	42.6	40.8	40.0
Asia							
4000+	Population	33,531	41,715	49,957	55,214	72,002	98,125
	No. of Cities	5	6	7	7	9	13
	% of Urban	14.5	14.9	14.5	13.2	14.6	16.7
2000-3999	Population	8,947	10,183	21,604	35,390	41,340	48,702
	No. of Cities	3	4	9	13	14	17
	% of Urban	3.9	3.6	6.3	8.5	8.4	8.3
1000-1999	Population	19,779	31,208	33,818	38,532	47,150	49,862
	No. of Cities	15	23	25	28	33	36
	% of Urban	8.5	11.1	9.8	9.2	9.5	8.5
500-999	Population	24,916	23,896	28,815	32,458	38,059	53,812
	No. of Cities	35	33	40	46	55	80
	% of Urban	10.8	8.5	8.4	7.8	7.7	9.1
250-499	Population	17,526	22,248	28,602	35,657	47,243	52,115
	No. of Cities	52	64	85	103	135	152
	% of Urban	7.6	7.9	8.3	8.5	9.6	8.8
100-249	Population	28,342	34,518	36,250	41,594	45,745	49,736
	No. of Cities	188	225	231	263	295	315
	% of Urban	12.3	12.3	10.5	9.9	9.3	8.4
Under 100	Population	97,794	116,246	144,780	179,696	202,949	236,922
	% of Urban	42.4	41.5	42.1	42.9	41.0	40.2

-Size Class, Major Region and Area, 1950—2050(Continued)

Population (in Thousands)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
168,137	222,125	280,255	367,595	454,753	570,014	684,714	813,091	944,606	1,102,142
22	28	33	43	50	62	72	84	96	114
17.3	19.1	20.2	22.2	23.2	24.8	25.5	26.4	27.0	28.2
77,220	83,644	119,550	146,659	196,509	224,109	278,750	321,931	370,035	392,071
28	30	43	54	72	82	102	117	134	145
7.9	7.2	8.6	8.9	10.0	9.7	10.4	10.4	10.6	10.0
91,206	123,236	152,161	178,173	215,228	261,850	282,549	299,899	314,422	322,438
69	88	111	128	157	187	200	209	219	227
9.4	10.6	11.0	10.8	11.0	11.4	10.5	9.7	9.0	8.2
101,356	124,017	143,538	167,787	172,990					
147	177	207	236	243					
10.4	10.7	10.3	10.1	8.8					
88,446	97,275	95,186							
255	274	263							
9.1	8.4	6.9							
66,254									
414									
6.8									
381,177									
39.1									
134,143	160,467	195,695	240,172	287,687	346,233	406,710	463,466	527,939	603,373
18	20	23	27	30	35	40	44	50	59
19.5	20.1	21.1	22.2	22.7	23.5	24.0	24.0	24.4	25.1
43,274	52,689	64,549	79,174	110,445	121,768	161,549	195,402	225,100	244,719
16	19	24	30	42	45	61	72	83	92
6.3	6.6	7.0	7.3	8.7	8.3	9.5	10.1	10.4	10.2
60,644	73,333	93,561	108,785	133,263	172,439	180,201	197,305	210,089	211,958
45	53	69	78	98	122	128	139	147	148
8.8	9.2	10.1	10.0	10.5	11.7	10.6	10.2	9.7	8.8
67,657	80,918	92,554	112,698	116,950					
99	115	133	158	167					
9.8	10.1	10.0	10.4	9.2					
60,689	70,216	71,334							
177	198	197							
8.8	8.8	7.7							
52,300									
332									
7.6									
269,560									
39.2									

4 Urban Population, Number of Cities and Percentage of Urban Population by City

Region/Size Class		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
East Asia							
4000+	Population	29,103	36,836	40,426	44,060	54,507	59,212
	No. of Cities	4	5	5	5	6	6
	% of Urban	24.4	24.9	21.8	19.6	21.1	19.9
2000-3999	Population	6,057	4,560	12,011	16,308	13,794	19,681
	No. of Cities	2	2	5	6	5	7
	% of Urban	5.1	3.1	6.5	7.2	5.3	6.6
1000-1999	Population	9,019	15,918	18,439	21,220	27,984	32,847
	No. of Cities	7	12	14	16	20	24
	% of Urban	7.6	10.8	9.9	9.4	10.8	11.0
500-999	Population	13,540	13,018	17,059	17,518	20,465	25,006
	No. of Cities	20	18	24	24	29	37
	% of Urban	11.4	8.8	9.2	7.8	7.9	8.4
250-499	Population	6,025	8,811	11,498	16,163	21,057	23,175
	No. of Cities	19	25	36	47	62	69
	% of Urban	5.1	6.0	6.2	7.2	8.1	7.8
100-249	Population	13,728	16,822	15,450	16,112	15,693	16,275
	No. of Cities	91	107	94	96	96	101
	% of Urban	11.5	11.4	8.3	7.2	6.1	5.5
Under 100	Population	41,662	52,024	70,436	93,702	105,061	121,671
	% of Urban	35.0	35.2	38.0	41.6	40.6	40.8
China							
4000+	Population	22,366	23,519	23,990	24,730	26,569	27,930
	No. of Cities	3	3	3	3	3	3
	% of Urban	33.1	27.0	21.4	17.7	16.6	15.3
2000-3999	Population	2,229	2,349	6,881	9,519	10,260	13,258
	No. of Cities	1	1	3	4	4	5
	% of Urban	3.3	2.7	6.1	6.8	6.4	7.2
1000-1999	Population	4,117	9,921	13,296	15,419	20,316	24,365
	No. of Cities	3	7	10	12	15	18
	% of Urban	6.1	11.4	11.9	11.0	12.7	13.3
500-999	Population	11,109	12,491	15,756	14,773	17,523	20,743
	No. of Cities	17	17	22	20	25	30
	% of Urban	16.4	14.3	14.1	10.6	11.0	11.3
250-499	Population	4,563	7,030	8,748	12,365	14,616	15,346
	No. of Cities	14	20	28	35	42	44
	% of Urban	6.7	8.1	7.8	8.8	9.1	8.4
100-249	Population	8,925	9,531	7,111	6,306	3,535	1,173
	No. of Cities	57	56	39	31	16	5
	% of Urban	13.2	10.9	6.3	4.5	2.2	0.6
Under 100	Population	14,319	22,242	36,333	56,774	67,155	80,056
	% of Urban	21.2	25.5	32.4	40.6	42.0	43.8

-Size Class, Major Region and Area, 1950—2050(Continued)
Population (in Thousands)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
66,606	73,434	81,138	89,944	96,003	107,307	127,337	139,839	152,116	168,149
7	8	9	10	10	11	14	15	16	18
20.1	20.3	20.4	20.2	19.1	18.8	19.8	19.5	19.2	19.4
19,749	22,095	25,843	28,219	45,936	46,767	54,201	69,809	82,087	92,974
7	8	10	11	18	17	21	27	31	35
6.0	6.1	6.5	6.3	9.1	8.2	8.4	9.7	10.4	10.7
35,915	37,857	41,072	49,589	48,251	67,204	71,664	72,916	81,808	78,707
26	27	30	36	36	48	51	52	58	54
10.9	10.5	10.3	11.1	9.6	11.8	11.1	10.2	10.3	9.1
29,064	33,674	39,029	43,490	48,900					
42	48	56	63	70					
8.8	9.3	9.8	9.8	9.7					
27,094	29,532	28,385							
78	81	77							
8.2	8.2	7.1							
15,750									
97									
4.8									
136,469									
41.3									
28,592	28,871	34,162	40,898	45,205	55,181	74,917	87,505	100,029	116,445
3	3	4	5	5	6	9	10	11	13
14.0	12.9	13.7	14.3	13.5	14.1	16.4	16.7	16.8	17.5
16,560	18,027	19,423	19,288	32,126	32,166	39,193	54,513	62,476	71,023
6	6	7	7	12	11	15	21	23	26
8.1	8.1	7.8	6.8	9.6	8.2	8.6	10.4	10.5	10.7
25,393	30,049	31,287	37,209	37,390	52,070	55,757	55,307	67,590	66,037
19	22	23	27	28	37	40	40	48	45
12.5	13.4	12.5	13.0	11.2	13.3	12.2	10.5	11.4	9.9
24,948	25,890	29,240	31,566	34,162					
36	37	42	45	48					
12.2	11.6	11.7	11.1	10.2					
14,261	13,734	11,391							
40	36	29							
7.0	6.1	4.6							
240									
1									
0.1									
93,682									
46.0									

4 Urban Population, Number of Cities and Percentage of Urban Population by City

Region/Size Class		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Japan							
4000+	Population	6,737	13,318	16,436	19,331	22,520	24,331
	No. of Cities	1	2	2	2	2	2
	% of Urban	16.0	26.7	27.9	29.0	30.3	28.8
2000 - 3999	Population	3,828	0	0	0	0	0
	No. of Cities	1	0	0	0	0	0
	% of Urban	9.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1000 - 1999	Population	1,001	3,395	3,974	4,423	4,751	6,073
	No. of Cities	1	3	3	3	3	4
	% of Urban	2.4	6.8	6.8	6.6	6.4	7.2
500 - 999	Population	1,891	0	0	669	1,392	1,719
	No. of Cities	2	0	0	1	2	3
	% of Urban	4.5	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.9	2.0
250 - 499	Population	789	978	1,758	2,748	3,902	4,890
	No. of Cities	3	3	5	9	13	16
	% of Urban	1.9	2.0	3.0	4.1	5.3	5.8
100 - 249	Population	3,496	5,643	6,572	6,950	9,181	12,220
	No. of Cities	25	40	44	47	61	78
	% of Urban	8.3	11.3	11.2	10.4	12.4	14.5
Under 100	Population	4,322	26,515	30,071	32,427	32,549	35,176
	% of Urban	57.8	53.2	51.1	48.7	43.8	41.7
East Asia (ex China and Japan)							
4000+	Population	0	0	0	0	5,417	6,951
	No. of Cities	0	0	0	0	1	1
	% of Urban	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.3	22.7
2000 - 3999	Population	0	2,211	5,130	6,789	3,534	6,423
	No. of Cities	0	1	2	2	1	2
	% of Urban	0.0	20.0	35.6	36.4	14.6	21.0
1000 - 1999	Population	3,901	2,601	1,169	1,379	2,917	2,409
	No. of Cities	3	2	4	1	2	2
	% of Urban	41.3	23.5	8.1	7.4	12.0	7.9
500 - 999	Population	540	526	1,303	2,076	1,550	2,544
	No. of Cities	1	1	2	3	2	4
	% of Urban	5.7	4.8	9.1	11.1	6.4	8.3
250 - 499	Population	672	804	991	1,049	2,539	2,939
	No. of Cities	2	2	3	3	7	9
	% of Urban	7.1	7.3	6.9	5.6	10.5	9.6
100 - 249	Population	1,308	1,648	1,767	2,856	2,973	2,883
	No. of Cities	9	11	11	18	19	18
	% of Urban	13.8	14.9	12.3	15.3	12.2	9.4
Under 100	Population	3,021	3,267	4,032	4,501	5,357	6,439
	% of Urban	32.0	29.5	28.0	24.1	22.1	21.1

-Size Class, Major Region and Area, 1950—2050(Continued)

Population (in Thousands)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
24,996	25,218	24,970	24,816	24,813	24,785	24,478	23,926	23,287	22,616
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
28.1	27.5	26.4	25.4	24.5	23.7	22.9	22.0	21.3	20.5
0	4,068	4,153	4,243	6,406	6,593	6,626	6,590	6,523	6,444
0	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3
0.0	4.4	4.4	4.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.8
6,526	2,859	3,044	3,222	2,334	2,404	2,430	2,430	2,419	2,404
4	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
7.3	3.1	3.2	3.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2
1,946	2,676	3,482	6,404	7,476					
3	4	5	10	12					
2.2	2.9	3.7	6.6	7.4					
7,785	9,978	12,926							
24	29	37							
8.8	10.9	13.7							
11,993									
73									
13.5									
35,662									
40.1									
13,017	19,345	22,006	24,230	25,985	27,341	27,942	28,408	28,805	29,088
2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
34.2	42.1	40.8	39.4	38.1	36.9	35.2	33.8	32.4	31.1
3,189	0	2,267	4,687	7,404	8,008	8,382	8,707	13,088	15,506
1	0	1	2	3	3	3	3	5	6
8.4	0.0	4.2	7.6	10.9	10.8	10.6	10.3	14.7	16.6
3,996	4,950	6,741	9,158	8,527	12,730	13,477	15,178	11,799	10,266
3	3	5	7	6	9	9	10	8	7
10.5	10.8	12.5	14.9	12.5	17.2	17.0	18.0	13.3	11.0
2,169	5,108	6,307	5,520	7,263					
3	7	9	8	10					
5.7	11.1	11.7	9.0	10.6					
5,048	5,820	4,068							
14	16	11							
13.3	12.7	7.5							
3,517									
23									
9.2									
7,125									
18.7									

4 Urban Population, Number of Cities and Percentage of Urban Population by City

Region/Size Class		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
South Asia							
4000+	Population	4,428	4,879	9,532	11,154	17,495	38,913
	No. of Cities	1	1	2	2	3	7
	% of Urban	4.0	3.7	6.0	5.8	7.4	13.4
2000-3999	Population	2,890	5,624	9,592	19,082	27,547	29,021
	No. of Cities	1	2	4	7	9	10
	% of Urban	2.6	4.3	6.1	9.9	11.7	10.0
1000-1999	Population	10,760	15,290	15,379	17,312	19,166	17,015
	No. of Cities	8	11	11	12	13	12
	% of Urban	9.6	11.6	9.7	8.9	8.1	5.8
500-999	Population	11,376	10,878	11,756	14,940	17,594	28,806
	No. of Cities	15	15	16	22	26	43
	% of Urban	10.2	8.2	7.4	7.7	7.5	9.9
250-499	Population	11,501	13,437	17,104	19,494	26,186	28,940
	No. of Cities	33	39	49	56	73	83
	% of Urban	10.3	10.2	10.8	10.1	11.1	9.9
100-249	Population	14,614	17,697	20,800	25,482	30,053	33,460
	No. of Cities	97	118	137	167	199	214
	% of Urban	13.1	13.4	13.1	13.2	12.7	11.5
Under 100	Population	56,132	64,221	74,344	85,994	97,888	115,251
	% of Urban	50.3	48.6	46.9	44.5	41.5	39.5
South Eastern Asia							
4000+	Population	0	0	0	0	4,480	10,562
	No. of Cities	0	0	0	0	1	2
	% of Urban	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.8	15.0
2000-3999	Population	0	2,237	7,316	9,097	9,145	6,255
	No. of Cities	0	1	3	3	3	2
	% of Urban	0.0	7.0	18.7	19.2	15.9	8.9
1000-1999	Population	5,831	5,913	2,761	6,750	5,734	6,611
	No. of Cities	4	4	2	5	4	4
	% of Urban	22.0	18.4	7.0	14.2	10.0	9.4
500-999	Population	4,517	3,897	4,262	2,942	3,226	4,910
	No. of Cities	6	5	5	5	5	7
	% of Urban	17.0	12.1	10.9	6.2	5.6	7.0
250-499	Population	4,208	4,521	5,052	4,489	5,830	6,361
	No. of Cities	12	13	14	13	16	17
	% of Urban	15.9	14.1	12.9	9.5	10.1	9.1
100-249	Population	3,010	3,695	4,203	5,708	7,127	8,005
	No. of Cities	22	26	27	39	48	50
	% of Urban	11.4	11.5	10.7	12.0	12.4	11.4
Under 100	Population	8,944	11,815	15,609	18,471	21,913	27,481
	% of Urban	33.7	36.8	39.8	38.9	38.1	39.2

-Size Class, Major Region and Area, 1950—2050(Continued)

Population (in Thousands)									
1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
67,537	87,032	114,557	150,227	191,684	238,926	279,373	323,627	375,823	435,224
11	12	14	17	20	24	26	29	34	41
18.9	20.0	21.6	23.5	25.1	26.5	26.5	26.7	27.4	28.4
23,525	30,594	38,706	50,955	64,509	75,001	107,348	125,593	143,013	151,745
9	11	14	19	24	28	40	45	52	57
6.6	7.0	7.3	8.0	8.4	8.3	10.2	10.4	10.4	9.9
24,729	35,476	52,488	59,196	85,012	105,235	108,537	124,389	128,281	133,252
19	26	39	42	62	74	77	87	89	94
6.9	8.1	9.9	9.3	11.1	11.7	10.3	10.3	9.3	8.7
38,593	47,244	53,525	69,208	68,050					
57	67	77	95	97					
10.8	10.8	10.1	10.8	8.9					
33,594	40,684	42,949							
99	117	120							
9.4	9.3	8.1							
36,550									
235									
10.2									
133,091									
37.2									
17,232	20,378	24,085	32,490	43,372	58,883	66,767	74,378	81,499	96,079
3	3	3	4	5	7	7	7	7	9
20.1	19.5	19.0	21.1	23.4	26.7	25.9	25.1	24.3	25.7
6,699	9,673	13,772	16,488	16,536	10,655	14,054	19,753	25,961	24,036
3	4	5	6	6	4	5	7	9	9
7.8	9.3	10.8	10.7	8.9	4.8	5.5	6.7	7.7	6.4
5,729	4,857	6,807	6,446	9,225	18,561	21,274	24,009	24,410	25,548
4	3	5	5	7	14	15	17	17	18
6.7	4.7	5.4	4.2	5.0	8.4	8.3	8.1	7.3	6.8
5,750	10,036	10,889	13,046	14,697					
9	15	16	18	20					
6.7	9.6	8.6	8.5	7.9					
7,280	7,486	9,052							
21	23	27							
8.5	7.2	7.1							
7,816									
48									
9.1									
35,070									
41.0									

4 Urban Population, Number of Cities and Percentage of Urban Population by City

Region/Size Class		1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Southern Asia							
4000 +	Population	4,428	4,879	9,532	11,154	13,015	28,351
	No. of Cities	1	1	2	2	2	5
	% of Urban	5.9	5.7	9.4	9.2	8.9	15.7
2000 - 3999	Population	2,890	3,386	2,276	9,985	13,115	15,054
	No. of Cities	1	1	1	4	4	6
	% of Urban	3.8	3.9	2.3	8.2	8.9	8.3
1000 - 1999	Population	4,930	8,128	10,140	6,975	11,093	5,075
	No. of Cities	4	6	7	5	7	4
	% of Urban	6.6	9.4	10.0	5.7	7.6	2.8
500 - 999	Population	5,312	5,709	4,971	7,630	10,546	18,954
	No. of Cities	7	8	7	11	16	29
	% of Urban	7.1	6.6	4.9	6.3	7.2	10.5
250 - 499	Population	5,651	6,937	10,623	12,843	15,972	16,704
	No. of Cities	16	21	31	36	44	48
	% of Urban	7.5	8.0	10.5	10.6	10.9	9.3
100 - 249	Population	10,220	10,980	12,551	15,302	18,359	21,058
	No. of Cities	65	70	84	101	124	139
	% of Urban	13.6	12.7	12.4	12.6	12.5	11.7
Under 100							
	Population	41,632	46,178	50,820	57,620	64,491	75,217
	% of Urban	55.5	53.6	50.4	47.4	44.0	41.7
Western Asia							
4000 +	Population	0	0	0	0	0	0
	No. of Cities	0	0	0	0	0	0
	% of Urban	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000 - 3999	Population	0	0	0	0	5,286	7,712
	No. of Cities	0	0	0	0	2	2
	% of Urban	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.6	18.9
1000 - 1999	Population	0	1,249	2,478	3,587	2,340	5,330
	No. of Cities	0	1	2	2	2	4
	% of Urban	0.0	9.1	13.5	14.6	7.3	13.1
500 - 999	Population	1,547	1,271	2,523	4,368	3,822	4,943
	No. of Cities	2	2	4	6	5	7
	% of Urban	15.3	9.2	13.7	17.8	12.0	12.1
250 - 499	Population	1,642	1,979	1,429	2,162	4,384	5,876
	No. of Cities	5	5	4	7	13	18
	% of Urban	16.2	14.4	7.8	8.8	13.8	14.4
100 - 249	Population	1,384	3,021	4,045	4,471	4,566	4,397
	No. of Cities	10	22	26	27	27	25
	% of Urban	13.7	22.0	22.0	18.3	14.3	10.8
Under 100							
	Population	5,556	6,228	7,915	9,903	11,484	12,553
	% of Urban	54.9	45.3	43.0	40.4	36.0	30.8

-Size Class, Major Region and Area, 1950—2050(Continued)
Population (in Thousands)

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
39,246 6 17.8	52,619 7 19.6	73,099 9 22.5	96,763 11 24.7	119,080 12 25.5	147,330 14 26.7	172,027 15 26.6	200,925 17 26.9	238,002 21 28.1	270,584 24 28.5
14,606 5 6.6	18,190 6 6.8	17,228 6 5.3	18,710 7 4.8	27,595 10 5.9	39,044 15 7.1	69,172 27 10.7	83,061 31 11.1	92,156 35 10.9	104,986 40 11.1
10,577 8 4.8	17,745 14 6.6	33,176 26 10.2	42,136 30 10.8	62,462 44 13.4	72,306 49 13.1	68,905 49 10.6	74,596 52 10.0	76,369 53 9.0	76,518 54 8.1
28,098 41 12.7	31,020 42 11.6	32,642 46 10.0	41,617 56 10.6	40,273 57 8.6					
18,080 54 8.2	24,124 69 9.0	25,673 72 7.9							
25,811 171 11.7									
84,533 38.3									
11,059 2 21.6	14,036 2 22.2	17,373 2 22.5	20,974 2 22.5	29,231 3 26.5	32,713 3 25.5	40,579 4 27.5	48,324 5 28.8	56,322 6 30.0	68,561 8 32.9
2,220 1 4.3	2,730 1 4.3	7,706 3 10.0	15,757 6 16.9	20,378 8 18.5	25,302 9 19.7	24,122 8 16.3	22,778 7 13.6	24,896 8 13.2	22,722 8 10.9
8,423 7 16.5	12,875 9 20.4	12,505 8 16.2	10,615 7 11.4	13,325 11 12.1	14,367 11 11.2	18,358 13 12.4	25,783 18 15.4	27,501 19 14.6	31,186 22 14.9
4,746 7 9.3	6,188 10 9.8	9,995 15 12.9	14,544 21 15.6	13,080 20 11.9					
8,235 24 16.1	9,074 25 14.4	8,225 21 10.6							
2,923 16 5.7									
13,488 26.4									

5 Population of Total, Capital Cities and Urban Agglomeration 2 Million or More

China

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	554.76	609.00	657.49	729.19	830.68	927.27
Urban Agglomeration						
Beijing*	6.64	7.06	7.30	7.63	8.29	8.91
Chengdu	0.70	0.93	1.12	1.29	1.58	2.00
Chongqing	1.54	1.88	2.15	2.28	2.46	2.59
Guangzhou	1.43	1.68	1.93	2.17	2.50	2.82
Harbin	0.93	1.28	1.55	1.74	2.00	2.24
Liupanshui	0.59	0.78	1.19	1.44	1.66	1.87
Nanjing	0.89	1.19	1.45	1.60	1.78	1.94
Shanghai	10.26	10.60	10.67	10.81	11.41	11.59
Shenyang	2.22	2.34	2.47	2.75	3.14	3.53
Taipei	0.59	0.76	0.97	1.19	1.50	1.84
Tianjin	5.36	5.74	5.97	6.29	6.87	7.43
Wuhan	1.25	1.66	2.17	2.42	2.73	3.01
Xian	0.94	1.16	1.34	1.51	1.73	1.95
Zibo	0.48	0.64	0.80	1.01	1.30	1.65

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Beijing*	10.88	8.74	5.85	5.26	4.97	4.76
Chengdu	1.15	1.16	0.89	0.89	0.95	1.07
Chongqing	2.53	2.33	1.72	1.57	1.47	1.38
Guangzhou	2.35	2.08	1.54	1.49	1.50	1.51
Harbin	1.53	1.59	1.24	1.20	1.20	1.20
Liupanshui	0.97	0.96	0.95	0.99	0.99	1.00
Nanjing	1.46	1.48	1.16	1.10	1.07	1.04
Shanghai	16.82	13.14	8.54	7.45	6.83	6.19
Shenyang	3.64	2.90	1.98	1.90	1.88	1.88
Taipei	0.97	0.94	0.77	0.82	0.90	0.98
Tianjin	8.79	7.11	4.78	4.33	4.12	3.97
Wuhan	2.05	2.06	1.73	1.67	1.64	1.61
Xian	1.54	1.44	1.08	1.04	1.04	1.04
Zibo	0.79	0.79	0.64	0.70	0.78	0.88

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Populayion	1.87	1.53	2.07	2.61	2.20	1.43
Urban Agglomeration						
Beijing*	1.23	0.68	0.89	1.65	1.44	0.43
Chengdu	5.70	3.57	2.94	4.04	4.72	3.17
Chongqing	3.99	2.63	1.21	1.53	1.04	0.43
Guangzhou	3.12	2.82	2.35	2.86	2.40	1.71
Harbin	6.40	3.79	2.38	2.77	2.27	1.66
Liupanshui	5.42	8.43	3.87	2.84	2.38	1.71
Nanjing	5.82	3.96	1.95	2.12	1.73	1.07
Shanghai	0.67	0.11	0.27	1.08	0.32	0.35
Shenyang	1.05	1.11	2.18	2.64	2.29	1.61
Taipei	4.87	4.85	4.20	4.53	4.10	3.40
Tianjin	1.36	0.81	1.02	1.77	1.56	0.68
Wuhan	5.68	5.28	2.25	2.38	1.96	1.25
Xian	4.22	2.91	2.35	2.74	2.39	1.60
Zibo	5.60	4.49	4.77	5.05	4.77	4.06

Inhabitants, 1950—2025

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
996.13	1059.52	1135.50	1214.22	1285.89	1341.41	1382.46	1421.41	1459.75	1492.55
9.10	9.33	9.74	10.43	11.47					
2.35	2.69	3.06	3.49	3.98					
2.65	2.72	2.88	3.08	3.42					
3.07	3.33	3.62	4.00	4.49					
2.44	2.63	2.86	3.16	3.56					
2.04	2.20	2.40	2.66	3.00					
2.05	2.16	2.31	2.53	2.83					
11.80	12.06	12.55	13.39	14.69					
3.82	4.11	4.46	4.91	5.50					
2.17	2.52	2.89	3.30	3.78					
7.68	7.96	8.38	9.02	9.96					
3.21	3.40	3.66	4.00	4.47					
2.12	2.28	2.48	2.74	3.08					
2.03	2.41	2.82	3.27	3.76					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
4.48	4.27	4.00	3.75	3.56					
1.15	1.23	1.26	1.25	1.23					
1.30	1.25	1.17	1.11	1.06					
1.51	1.52	1.49	1.44	1.39					
1.20	1.20	1.18	1.14	1.10					
1.00	1.01	0.99	0.96	0.93					
1.01	0.99	0.95	0.91	0.88					
5.80	5.52	5.15	4.82	4.56					
1.88	1.88	1.83	1.77	1.71					
1.07	1.15	1.19	1.19	1.17					
3.78	3.64	3.44	3.25	3.09					
1.58	1.56	1.50	1.44	1.39					
1.04	1.04	1.02	0.98	0.96					
1.00	1.10	1.16	1.18	1.17					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
1.23	1.39	1.34	1.15	0.85	0.60	0.56	0.53	0.44
0.50	0.86	1.36	1.90					
2.75	2.60	2.59	2.62					
0.55	0.96	1.51	2.09					
1.57	1.71	1.99	2.31					
1.54	1.69	2.00	2.33					
1.58	1.74	2.04	2.37					
1.07	1.36	1.79	2.25					
0.43	0.79	1.30	1.85					
1.48	1.63	1.92	2.25					
2.93	2.74	2.69	2.67					
0.71	1.02	1.48	1.97					
1.20	1.43	1.81	2.21					
1.49	1.67	1.99	2.34					
3.46	3.14	2.96	2.81					

Japan

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	83.63	89.81	94.10	98.88	104.33	111.52
Urban Agglomeration						
Kitakyushu	0.94	1.12	1.31	1.46	1.59	1.74
Nagoya	0.96	1.18	1.50	1.72	1.85	1.94
Osaka /Kobe	3.83	4.73	5.75	6.73	7.60	7.96
Tokyo*/Yokohama	6.74	8.59	10.69	12.60	14.87	16.38

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Kitakyushu	2.22	2.25	2.23	2.20	2.14	2.06
Nagoya	2.27	2.37	2.55	2.59	2.49	2.30
Osaka /Kobe	9.10	9.48	9.78	10.11	10.22	9.43
Tokyo*/Yokohama	16.02	17.23	18.17	18.94	20.01	19.40

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.43	0.93	0.99	1.07	1.33	0.93
Urban Agglomeration						
Kitakyushu	3.66	3.10	2.20	1.70	1.80	1.79
Nagoya	4.24	4.75	2.79	1.40	1.02	0.56
Osaka /Kobe	4.22	3.91	3.15	2.42	0.94	1.81
Tokyo*/Yokohama	4.86	4.37	3.30	3.31	1.93	1.51

Hong Kong

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	1.97	2.49	3.08	3.69	3.94	4.40
Urban Agglomeration						
Hong Kong*	1.75	2.13	2.59	2.98	3.40	3.90

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Hong Kong*	100.00	96.30	94.73	90.40	96.13	97.94

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	4.64	4.22	3.66	1.31	2.18	2.73
Urban Agglomeration						
Hong Kong*	3.95	3.95	2.79	2.60	2.76	2.79

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
116.81	120.75	123.46	126.32	129.10	131.10	131.68	131.06	129.92	128.60
1.91	2.09	2.28	2.34	2.39					
2.00	2.05	2.11	2.11	2.11					
8.71	9.56	10.49	10.86	11.18					
17.67	19.04	20.52	20.93	21.32					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
2.14	2.25	2.40	2.40	2.38					
2.25	2.22	2.22	2.16	2.10					
9.79	10.32	11.04	11.11	11.15					
19.85	20.56	21.59	21.41	21.26					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
0.66	0.44	0.46	0.44	0.31	0.09	-0.09	-0.17	-0.20
1.79	1.79	0.56	0.39					
0.53	0.53	0.00	0.00					
1.86	1.86	0.69	0.58					
1.50	1.50	0.40	0.37					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
5.04	5.46	5.84	6.16	6.45	6.61	6.74	6.84	6.91	6.95
4.48	5.16	5.44	5.78	6.09					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
97.20	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
1.59	1.36	1.06	0.92	0.50	0.38	0.30	0.22	0.12
2.79	1.08	1.20	1.04					

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A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	9.74	9.10	10.53	12.10	13.89	15.85
Urban Agglomeration Pyongyang*	0.45	0.54	0.64	0.77	0.92	1.10

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Pyongyang*	14.85	16.64	15.21	14.11	13.25	12.64

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1970 - 1980
Total Population	- 1.36	2.91	2.79	2.76	2.64	2.57
Urban Agglomeration Pyongyang*	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.48

Korea, Republic of

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	20.36	21.42	25.00	28.53	31.92	35.28
Urban Agglomeration						
Pusan	0.95	1.05	1.15	1.37	1.81	2.42
Seoul*	1.02	1.55	2.36	3.45	5.31	6.80

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Pusan	21.80	20.02	16.66	14.79	13.95	14.25
Seoul*	23.49	29.72	34.08	37.41	40.88	40.12

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.02	3.09	2.64	2.25	2.00	1.55
Urban Agglomeration						
Pusan	1.97	1.97	3.36	5.67	5.74	5.12
Seoul*	8.38	8.38	7.60	8.62	4.93	3.95

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
18.03	20.39	22.94	25.55	28.16	30.68	33.12	35.41	37.60	39.61
1.31	1.55	1.81	2.09	2.34					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
12.20	11.93	11.74	11.60	11.39					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
2.46	2.36	2.16	1.95	1.71	1.53	1.34	1.20	1.04
3.34	3.13	2.79	2.27					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
38.12	41.06	43.58	45.81	48.01	49.99	51.59	52.88	53.89	54.63
3.12	4.02	4.75	5.34	5.82					
8.28	10.07	11.33	12.25	12.97					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
14.39	15.00	15.14	15.14	15.06					
38.21	37.54	36.09	34.72	33.56					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
1.48	1.19	1.00	0.94	0.81	0.63	0.49	0.38	0.27
5.09	3.33	2.33	1.72					
3.91	2.36	1.56	1.15					

Democratic Kampuchea

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	4.35	4.84	5.43	6.14	6.94	7.10
Urban Agglomeration Pnhom-Penh *	0.36	0.38	0.39	0.44	0.51	0.60

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Pnhom-Penh *	82.12	75.94	69.66	65.56	62.91	81.81

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.15	2.31	2.45	2.44	0.46	-2.07
Urban Agglomeration Pnhom-Penh *	0.67	0.67	2.27	3.16	3.16	3.16

Indonesia

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	79.54	86.55	96.19	107.04	120.28	135.67
Urban Agglomeration						
Jakarta *	1.73	2.17	2.73	3.44	4.32	5.29
Medan	0.35	0.40	0.46	0.53	0.61	0.88
Surabaya	0.61	0.76	0.95	1.18	1.47	1.74

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Jakarta *	17.51	18.66	19.49	20.35	21.06	20.16
Medan	3.51	3.43	3.29	3.15	2.99	3.34
Surabaya	6.21	6.55	6.78	7.00	7.18	6.61

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.69	2.11	2.14	2.33	2.41	2.14
Urban Agglomeration						
Jakarta *	4.59	4.59	4.59	4.59	4.04	3.86
Medan	2.85	2.85	2.85	2.85	7.12	8.51
Surabaya	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.39	3.27	2.91

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
6.40	7.28	8.25	9.20	10.05	10.78	11.54	12.41	13.27	13.99
0.70	0.82	0.97	1.15	1.38					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
100.00	100.00	100.00	97.30	94.56					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
2.59	2.48	2.20	1.75	1.42	1.35	1.45	1.34	1.06
3.16	3.28	3.49	3.64					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
150.96	166.46	180.51	194.81	208.33	220.57	231.96	243.04	253.56	263.25
6.42	7.79	9.42	11.26	13.23					
1.34	2.05	3.00	4.14	5.36					
2.01	2.32	2.71	3.16	3.67					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
19.16	18.47	18.12	17.77	17.42					
4.00	4.86	5.76	6.53	7.06					
5.99	5.51	5.21	4.99	4.84					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
1.96	1.62	1.52	1.34	1.14	1.01	0.93	0.85	0.75
3.86	3.80	3.57	3.23					
8.51	7.57	6.45	5.20					
2.91	3.09	3.09	2.99					

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A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	1.75	1.94	2.18	2.43	2.71	3.02
Urban Agglomeration Vientiane*	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.16	0.20

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Vientiane*	94.99	84.21	73.87	64.96	60.29	56.87

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.05	2.26	2.22	2.18	2.18	1.16
Urban Agglomeration Vientiane*	0.57	0.57	0.57	3.60	4.35	4.40

Malaysia

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	6.11	7.00	8.14	9.50	10.85	12.26
Urban Agglomeration Kuala Lumpur*	0.21	0.28	0.34	0.39	0.45	0.64

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Kuala Lumpur*	16.72	17.14	16.73	15.88	15.41	17.25

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.72	3.02	3.09	2.66	2.44	2.32
Urban Agglomeration Kuala Lumpur*	6.02	4.02	2.73	2.73	7.14	7.19

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
3.21	3.59	4.07	4.58	5.13	5.69	6.23	6.76	7.26	7.74
0.24	0.31	0.40	0.52	0.67					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
56.58	54.59	53.14	52.46	52.20					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.29	2.49	2.37	2.27	2.06	1.82	1.61	1.44	1.27	
4.86	5.16	5.20	5.09						

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
13.76	15.45	17.34	19.19	20.87	22.32	23.69	25.13	26.56	27.89
0.92	1.27	1.68	2.13	2.56					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
19.59	21.46	22.93	23.97	24.39					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.31	2.31	2.02	1.68	1.34	1.19	1.18	1.10	0.98	
6.33	5.67	4.75	3.68						

Myanmar

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	17.83	19.56	21.75	24.17	27.10	30.44
Urban Agglomeration Yangon*	0.67	0.81	0.98	1.18	1.43	1.75

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Yangon*	23.22	23.41	23.32	23.29	23.09	24.07

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.85	2.12	2.11	2.29	2.32	2.11
Urban Agglomeration Yangon*	3.80	3.80	3.80	3.80	4.06	4.38

Philippines

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	20.99	23.91	27.56	32.03	37.54	42.56
Urban Agglomeration Manila*/Quezon	1.54	1.87	2.27	2.83	3.53	5.00

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Manila*/Quezon	27.11	27.27	27.23	27.95	28.55	33.03

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.61	2.84	3.01	3.17	2.51	2.53
Urban Agglomeration Manila*/Quezon	3.85	3.89	4.37	4.45	6.93	3.52

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
33.82	37.54	41.68	46.28	51.13	55.95	60.57	64.86	68.74	72.62
2.18	2.71	3.18	3.75	4.45					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
26.97	30.24	31.03	31.15	30.89					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.09	2.09	2.09	2.00	1.80	1.59	1.37	1.16	1.10	
4.38	3.17	3.28	3.44						

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
48.32	55.12	62.41	69.92	77.45	84.88	92.04	99.22	105.29	111.39
5.96	7.09	8.40	9.88	11.48					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
33.02	32.45	31.78	31.06	30.24					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025	
2.63	2.48	2.27	2.04	1.83	1.62	1.50	1.19	1.13	
3.46	3.39	3.25	2.99						

Singapore

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	1.02	1.31	1.63	1.88	2.07	2.26
Urban Agglomeration Singapore*	0.95	1.08	1.22	1.38	1.56	1.94

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Singapore*	93.17	82.53	74.67	73.45	75.39	85.92

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	4.90	4.48	2.81	1.97	1.73	1.30
Urban Agglomeration Singapore*	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.49	4.35	4.35

Thailand

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	20.01	22.76	26.39	30.64	35.75	41.36
Urban Agglomeration Bangkok*	1.36	1.71	2.15	2.58	3.11	3.84

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Bangkok*	64.87	65.58	65.14	65.59	65.47	61.15

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.58	2.96	2.99	3.08	2.92	2.44
Urban Agglomeration Bangkok*	4.60	4.57	3.67	3.70	4.23	4.23

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
2.41	2.56	2.70	2.84	2.95	3.04	3.12	3.18	3.22	3.24
2.42	2.56	2.70	2.84	2.95					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
1.16	1.09	0.97	0.79	0.62	0.48	0.38	0.27	0.12
1.15	1.09	0.97	0.79					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
46.72	51.60	55.70	59.61	63.67	67.72	71.59	75.07	78.12	80.91
4.75	5.86	7.16	8.63	10.26					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
58.70	57.39	56.76	55.97	54.73					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
1.99	1.53	1.35	1.32	1.23	1.11	0.95	0.80	0.70
4.21	4.00	3.74	3.46					

Viet Nam

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	29.95	32.01	34.74	38.34	42.73	48.03
Urban Agglomeration						
Hanoi*	0.57	0.60	0.64	0.69	0.73	0.78
Ho Chi Minh Vill	0.87	1.07	1.32	1.63	2.00	2.23

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Hanoi*	16.18	14.38	12.60	10.89	9.33	8.62
Ho Chi Minh Vill	24.88	25.54	25.87	25.82	25.58	24.69

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.33	1.64	1.97	2.17	2.34	2.23
Urban Agglomeration						
Hanoi*	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26
Ho Chi Minh Vill	4.15	4.15	4.15	4.15	2.15	2.15

Afghanistan

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	8.96	9.73	10.78	12.07	13.62	15.38
Urban Agglomeration						
Kabul*	0.22	0.28	0.36	0.46	0.51	0.67

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Kabul*	41.62	42.02	41.73	41.04	33.62	33.37

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.66	2.03	2.27	2.42	2.42	0.87
Urban Agglomeration						
Kabul*	5.08	5.08	5.08	1.73	5.77	7.96

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
53.70	60.06	67.17	75.03	83.03	90.80	98.04	104.59	111.23	117.97
0.83	0.90	1.00	1.16	1.38					
2.48	2.78	3.17	3.70	4.42					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
8.00	7.36	6.81	6.38	6.12					
23.97	22.83	21.58	20.45	19.63					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
2.24	2.24	2.21	2.03	1.79	1.54	1.29	1.23	1.18
1.62	2.18	2.87	3.53					
2.30	2.63	3.09	3.52					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
16.06	14.52	16.56	23.14	26.61	29.82	32.76	35.65	38.44	41.06
1.00	1.45	2.03	3.06	4.12					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
39.97	53.99	56.54	52.28	53.19					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
-2.02	2.63	6.70	2.79	2.28	1.89	1.69	1.51	1.32
7.36	6.76	8.16	5.94					

Bangladesh

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	41.78	45.49	51.42	58.31	66.67	76.58
Urban Agglomeration Dacca *	0.42	0.52	0.65	0.97	1.50	2.28

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Dacca *	23.08	24.21	24.45	26.83	29.62	32.62

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.70	2.45	2.52	2.68	2.77	2.83
Urban Agglomeration Dacca *	4.34	4.34	8.16	8.68	8.33	7.37

India

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	357.56	395.10	442.35	495.16	554.91	620.70
Urban Agglomeration						
Ahmedabad	0.86	1.01	1.18	1.41	1.69	2.04
Bangalore	0.76	0.95	1.17	1.38	1.62	2.11
Greater Bombay	2.90	3.43	4.06	4.85	5.81	6.85
Calcutta	4.45	4.95	5.50	6.16	6.91	7.88
Delhi *	1.39	1.78	2.28	2.85	3.53	4.42
Hyderabad	1.12	1.18	1.24	1.46	1.75	2.08
Kanpur	0.69	0.81	0.95	1.09	1.25	1.44
Madras	1.40	1.54	1.71	2.24	3.03	3.60
Poona	0.59	0.66	0.73	0.89	1.10	1.34

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Ahmedabad	1.39	1.45	1.49	1.52	1.55	1.53
Bangalore	1.24	1.36	1.48	1.48	1.47	1.58
Greater Bombay	4.70	4.94	5.11	5.21	5.30	5.14
Calcutta	7.21	7.11	6.93	6.62	6.31	5.91
Delhi *	2.25	2.56	2.87	3.06	3.22	3.32
Hyderabad	1.82	1.70	1.56	1.57	1.60	1.56
Kanpur	1.12	1.17	1.20	1.17	1.14	1.08
Madras	2.27	2.22	2.15	2.41	2.76	2.70
Poona	0.96	0.94	0.92	0.95	1.00	1.01

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
88.22	101.15	115.59	132.22	150.59	170.14	188.20	204.63	220.12	234.99
3.29	4.76	6.40	8.54	11.26					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
35.84	39.65	40.62	41.01	40.97					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
2.73	2.67	2.69	2.60	2.44	2.02	1.67	1.46	1.31
7.37	5.92	5.76	5.54					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
688.86	769.18	853.37	947.33	1042.53	1136.09	1225.31	1306.26	1374.47	1445.57
2.45	2.95	3.55	4.26	5.09					
2.81	3.73	4.86	6.19	7.67					
8.05	9.47	11.13	13.12	15.43					
9.00	10.29	11.83	13.71	15.94					
5.54	6.95	8.62	10.57	12.77					
2.47	2.94	3.49	4.16	4.94					
1.66	1.91	2.22	2.60	3.06					
4.19	4.87	5.69	6.68	7.85					
1.64	2.00	2.44	2.95	3.56					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
1.52	1.51	1.48	1.46	1.43					
1.74	1.90	2.03	2.11	2.15					
4.99	4.82	4.66	4.48	4.32					
5.58	5.24	4.95	4.68	4.47					
3.44	3.54	3.61	3.61	3.58					
1.53	1.50	1.46	1.42	1.39					
1.03	0.97	0.93	0.89	0.86					
2.60	2.48	2.38	2.28	2.20					
1.02	1.02	1.02	1.01	1.00					

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.00	2.26	2.26	2.28	2.24	2.08
Urban Agglomeration						
Ahmedabad	3.18	3.18	3.58	3.64	3.70	3.71
Bangalore	4.28	4.28	3.28	3.12	5.32	5.71
Greater Bombay	3.36	3.36	3.57	3.60	3.29	3.23
Calcutta	2.13	2.13	2.27	2.29	2.62	2.67
Delhi*	4.96	4.96	4.40	4.32	4.50	4.53
Hyderabad	1.02	1.02	3.25	3.59	3.47	3.45
Kanpur	3.20	3.20	2.77	2.70	2.81	2.83
Madras	2.00	2.00	5.48	6.01	3.47	3.02
Poona	2.06	2.06	3.98	4.28	4.03	3.99

Islamic Republic of Iran

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	14.21	17.06	20.30	24.08	28.40	33.34
Urban Agglomeration						
Teheran*	1.04	1.40	1.87	2.51	3.29	4.27

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Teheran*	26.46	26.76	27.43	28.33	28.25	28.04

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	3.66	3.48	3.41	3.30	3.21	3.08
Urban Agglomeration						
Teheran*	5.87	5.87	5.87	5.40	5.23	5.23

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
2.21	2.08	2.09	1.92	1.72	1.51	1.28	1.02	1.01
3.71	3.67	3.66	3.55					
5.71	5.26	4.84	4.31					
3.23	3.24	3.29	3.23					
2.67	2.79	2.95	3.01					
4.53	4.29	4.09	3.78					
3.45	3.46	3.51	3.45					
2.83	2.98	3.17	3.26					
3.02	3.10	3.21	3.23					
3.99	3.91	3.86	3.71					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
38.90	47.62	56.59	64.53	74.46	84.65	94.69	104.34	113.55	122.17
5.55	7.21	9.21	11.27	13.73					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
29.08	29.17	29.65	30.13	30.18					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
4.05	3.45	2.63	2.86	2.56	2.24	1.94	1.69	1.46
5.23	4.90	4.05	3.94					

Nepal

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	8.18	8.68	9.40	10.34	11.49	13.00
Urban Agglomeration Kathmandu*	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.13	0.15	0.18

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Kathmandu*	54.42	47.63	40.80	36.47	32.75	28.62

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.17	1.61	1.90	2.10	2.47	2.67
Urban Agglomeration Kathmandu*	1.57	1.57	2.06	2.17	4.02	4.47

Pakistan

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	39.51	44.19	49.95	57.14	65.71	74.73
Urban Agglomeration Islamabad*	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.11
Karachi	1.03	1.38	1.85	2.41	3.13	3.97
Lahore	0.83	1.02	1.26	1.58	1.97	2.39

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Islamabad*	0.53	0.47	0.41	0.42	0.43	0.53
Karachi	14.85	15.82	16.73	17.91	19.14	20.14
Lahore	11.93	11.73	11.45	11.72	12.03	12.13

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.24	2.45	2.69	2.79	2.57	2.64
Urban Agglomeration Islamabad*	2.19	2.19	4.17	4.43	8.26	11.30
Karachi	5.86	5.86	5.31	5.24	4.76	4.39
Lahore	4.26	4.26	4.41	4.43	3.91	3.50

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
14.86	16.92	19.14	21.52	24.08	26.58	28.90	31.05	33.08	34.97
0.23	0.28	0.36	0.47	0.61					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
24.77	21.60	19.64	18.48	17.84					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
2.59	2.47	2.34	2.25	1.97	1.68	1.44	1.26	1.11
4.47	4.95	5.26	5.40					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
85.30	103.24	122.67	141.60	162.47	183.64	205.47	227.31	248.11	267.09
0.19	0.33	0.54	0.83	1.18					
4.95	6.16	7.67	9.45	11.57					
2.85	3.40	4.08	4.91	5.93					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
0.78	1.06	1.37	1.68	1.92					
20.67	20.04	19.54	19.25	18.84					
11.91	11.05	10.41	10.01	9.66					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
3.82	3.45	2.87	2.75	2.45	2.25	2.02	1.75	1.47
11.30	10.01	8.53	7.10					
4.39	4.37	4.18	4.06					
3.50	3.68	3.70	3.78					

Sri Lanka

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	7.68	8.72	9.89	11.16	12.51	13.60
Urban Agglomeration Colombo*	0.41	0.44	0.48	0.52	0.55	0.57

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Colombo*	36.71	31.63	27.37	23.61	20.25	19.06

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.55	2.51	2.43	2.28	1.67	1.71
Urban Agglomeration Colombo*	1.78	1.78	1.52	1.14	0.62	0.44

Democratic Yemen

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	0.99	1.09	1.21	1.35	1.50	1.65
Urban Agglomeration Aden*	0.08	0.10	0.13	0.18	0.24	0.33

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Aden*	42.16	40.52	38.93	44.03	50.36	57.89

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	1.85	2.09	2.24	2.05	1.99	2.36
Urban Agglomeration Aden*	5.15	5.15	6.10	6.10	6.10	4.59

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
14.82	16.11	17.21	18.32	19.38	20.39	21.46	22.54	23.55	24.45
0.58	0.60	0.62	0.65	0.71					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
18.27	17.56	16.76	15.86	15.10					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
1.67	1.32	1.25	1.13	1.01	1.02	0.99	0.88	0.75
0.44	0.64	1.08	1.71					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
1.86	2.14	2.49	2.93	3.43	3.99	4.58	5.19	5.80	6.40
0.41	0.52	0.67	0.85	1.07					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
60.15	61.42	62.02	62.18	61.58					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
2.76	3.07	3.23	3.16	3.00	2.80	2.49	2.22	1.97
4.74	4.88	4.90	4.55					

Iraq

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	5.16	5.91	6.85	7.98	9.36	11.02
Urban Agglomeration Baghdad*	0.58	0.72	1.02	1.61	2.11	2.74

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Baghdad*	31.97	32.31	34.69	39.96	40.24	40.46

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.72	2.94	3.05	3.19	3.27	3.75
Urban Agglomeration Baghdad*	4.32	6.98	9.21	5.39	5.16	5.16

Jordan

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	1.24	1.45	1.69	1.96	2.30	2.60
Urban Agglomeration Amman*	0.09	0.14	0.22	0.30	0.39	0.50

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Amman*	21.00	25.08	30.11	32.96	33.37	34.72

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	3.14	3.16	2.93	3.17	2.46	2.34
Urban Agglomeration Amman*	8.84	8.84	6.33	5.18	5.08	5.08

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
13.29	15.90	18.92	22.41	26.34	30.68	35.32	40.17	45.08	49.99
3.54	4.39	5.35	6.44	7.66					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
40.17	39.07	38.10	37.29	36.66					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
3.58	3.48	3.39	3.23	3.05	2.82	2.57	2.30	2.07
4.27	3.96	3.72	3.46					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
2.92	3.51	4.27	5.22	6.33	7.58	8.94	10.32	11.73	13.13
0.64	0.83	1.06	1.36	1.70					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
36.69	36.74	36.60	36.45	36.21					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
3.64	3.94	4.01	3.86	3.62	3.29	2.87	2.55	2.26
5.04	5.00	4.85	4.47					

Israel

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	1.26	1.75	2.11	2.56	2.97	3.45
Urban Agglomeration Jerusalem *	0.15	0.16	0.17	0.21	0.28	0.34

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Jerusalem *	17.92	12.48	10.17	10.21	11.25	11.47

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	6.58	3.80	3.85	2.98	3.00	2.31
Urban Agglomeration Jerusalem *	1.28	1.28	4.93	5.72	3.96	2.89

Turkey

A Population Size (in Millions)

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Total Population	20.81	23.86	27.51	31.15	35.32	40.03
Urban Agglomeration Ankara *	0.28	0.44	0.64	0.95	1.27	1.67
Istanbul	0.97	1.25	1.45	2.00	2.78	2.87

B Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Urban Population

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975
Ankara *	6.32	7.15	7.77	8.98	9.36	10.04
Istanbul	21.78	20.36	17.76	18.83	20.51	17.26

C Population Growth Rate (Percent per Year)

	1950 - 1955	1955 - 1960	1960 - 1965	1965 - 1970	1970 - 1975	1975 - 1980
Total Population	2.74	2.85	2.49	2.51	2.50	2.09
Urban Agglomeration Ankara *	8.94	7.40	8.13	5.73	5.49	5.53
Istanbul	5.10	3.03	6.40	6.59	0.64	0.24

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
3.88	4.23	4.58	4.92	5.28	5.65	6.01	6.35	6.65	6.93
0.40	0.46	0.51	0.56	0.61					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
11.56	12.01	12.14	12.28	12.39					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
1.75	1.58	1.43	1.41	1.35	1.24	1.09	0.95	0.82
2.89	2.10	1.88	1.76					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
44.44	50.34	55.62	61.15	66.62	71.80	76.64	81.17	85.43	89.65
2.20	2.91	3.62	4.40	5.19					
2.91	2.94	2.97	3.08	3.27					

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
11.33	12.57	13.46	14.05	14.35					
14.94	12.73	11.02	9.82	9.05					

1980 - 1985	1985 - 1990	1990 - 1995	1995 - 2000	2000 - 2005	2005 - 2010	2010 - 2015	2015 - 2020	2020 - 2025
2.50	1.99	1.90	1.71	1.50	1.31	1.15	1.02	0.96
5.53	4.41	3.88	3.31					
0.24	0.18	0.72	1.24					

Technical Note

I General Precautions

1. Note to use in this data

This collection of statistical data has been prepared mainly by processing data from 3 sources. Figure 1, Table 4, are according to UN, *Estimates and Projections of Urban Rural and City Population 1950-2025 : The 1982 Assessment*, 1985 ; Table 2, 3, 5 are according to UN, *Prospects of World Urbanization 1988*, 1989. and UN, *World Demographic Estimates and Projections, 1950-2025*, 1988. The data based on the estimates, differ according to the year of preparation of these sources, therefore the figures for the future estimates which are based on these may not coincide in figure 1, table 4 and figure 2, tables 3, 5 and so also among the different figures.

The definitions of cities used in this data collection are quite varied. Here, all the items have been calculated based on the definitions of cities decided by the respective countries. Therefore, if for instance, the percentage of urban population of each country is considered, these have not been estimated on the basis of common standards. This is because, in certain countries, a region with a concentration 2000 or more inhabitants is defined as a city, whereas in certain countries a region with a population 30000 or more inhabitants is defined as a city. Therefore even though the urban population percentage is the same, the definition of population scale of different cities differ widely, and the actual circumstances may widely too. However, the definition of a city in each country has been given by the respective Governments, who are wellaware of the cultural, social and natural environment of their own country. Therefore, this multifarious definition has a practical value, and it may be said that there is a practical meaning in conforming to this definition. This varied nature of the definition is pointed out in "Definition of City according to each Country".

If the definition of a city according to each country is conformed to, then the figures of urban population in 5, "Population of Total, Capital Cities and Urban Agglomeration of 2 Million or more Inhabitants" may not coincide with the figures derived from the definition of cities. This is because the urban population which has been calculated, based on the definition of each country's Government, has been corrected and adjusted to a common Urban Agglomeration Standard and used.

2. Classification by Regions

The whole of Asia is classified as given below. First the countries of Asia are classified by regions and then each country is grouped in alphabetical order.

Region, Area and Country

East Asia

China, Japan, Hong Kong, Dem. Peo. Rep. of Korea, Republic of Korea, Macau, Mongolia

South Asia

Southeastern Asia

Burmai, Democratic Kampuchea, East Timor, Indonesia, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Viet Nam

Southern Asia

Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Islamic Republic of Iran, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka

Western Asia

- a. Arab Countries : Bahrain, Democratic Yemen
Gaza strip (Palestine), Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman,
Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates,
Yemen
- b. Non-Arab Countries : Cyprus, Israel, Turkey

Source : UN. *Estimates and Projections of Urban Rural and City Population 1950-2025*
: *The 1982 Assessment*, 1985

- 3 The regions used in Table 3 and Table 5, are regions or countries with two million or more inhabitants.
- 4 For the definitions of cities based on Figure 2, Table 3 and Table 5, refer to 1 "Definition of city according to Each country".

II Notes and Sources of Tables and Figures

1 Percentage Distribution of Urban Population by City-Size Class, 1950-2025

Source : UN. *Estimates and Projections of Urban Rural and City Population 1950-2025* : *The 1982 Assessment*, 1985

2 Index of Urban Population, 1985-2025

(1985= 1)

Transition of population with the index for 1985 taken as 1. Overlapping curves are curves in which the increase of total population and increase of urban population overlap, when the index for 1985 is taken as 1. These curves indicate that the overall increase and the urban population increase are increasing in the same proportion.

Source : UN, *Prospects of World Urbanization 1988* 1989

3 Population by Urban/Rural, and Percentage of Agricultural Population, 1950-2025

Table items : Population Size by Total, Urban and Rural (real value). Percentage of Urban Population and of Agricultural Population, Population Growth Rate of Total, Urban and Rural Population (urban population as a percentage of the total population), Percentage of Agricultural Population (Note 1), Average annual Population increase of Total Population, Urban Population and Agricultural Population.

Source : UN. *World Demographic Estimates and Projections, 1950-2025*. 1988

UN. *Prospects of World Urbanization 1988*. 1989.

(Note 1) Percentage of Agricultural Population: Percentage of Agriculture in Economically Active Population, Percentage of Agricultural Workers who are employed for more than 10 years and agricultural workers who are seeking employment. Therefore, there is no reason for the development of a strictly complementary relation with urban population. However, within the changes in industrial structure, the change in agricultural population serves as an index for measuring the progress of urbanization and changes in industrial structure. For instance, in general, with the increase in percentage of urban population, there is an accompanying trend of decrease in the percentage of agricultural population.

4 Urban Population, Number of Cities and Percentage of Urban Population by City-Size Class, Major Region and Area, 1950-2025

Table items : Urban Population by City-Size Class. Number of Cities by City-Size Class. Percentage of Urban Population by City-Size Class (More than 4 million, between 2 million to less than 4 million, between 1 million to less than 2 million, between 500,000 to less than 1 million, between 250,000 to 499,999, between 100,000 to 249,999, and less than 100,000)(%)

Source : UN, *Estimates and Projections of Urban and City Population, 1950-2025, The 1982 Assessment*, 1985

5 Population of Total, Capital Cities and Urban Agglomeration 2 million or More Inhabitants, 1950-2025

Urban Agglomeration

2) Definition of Urban Agglomeration

An urban agglomeration is defined as an area with a population concentration that usually includes central city and surrounding urbanized localities. A large agglomeration may comprise several cities and/or towns and their suburban fringes. Although this concept is common in national statistics, some countries use the concepts of metropolitan area or city instead. A metropolitan area is similar to an urban agglomeration, but may be a specially designated administrative unit and may sometimes cover certain rural areas in terms of population characteristics. A city, on the other hand, is not usually regarded as the same as an urban agglomeration. When a city is used to represent an agglomeration, the size of the agglomeration is generally underestimated, unless the areas of population concentration happen to be solely within the boundaries of the city. For a number of countries, where only city data are available, these data are used to approximate the size of urban agglomerations.

2) The names of cities of urban agglomerations used as items in the table are cities of 2 million or more inhabitants as of 1985, according to the urban agglomeration standards, and the capital cities of 2 million or more inhabitants. The figures mentioned here are figures for capital cities and cities with 2 million or more inhabitants calculated or estimated under the basis of urban agglomeration standards.

Table items : Population Size by Total and Urban Agglomeration (real value), Percentage of Urban Agglomeration to Total Population, Population Growth Rate (Percentage) per Year of Total Urban Population and Urban Agglomeration Population.

Source : UN. *Prospects of World Urbanization 1988*. 1989

3) An asterisk (*) in the table is used to indicate to Capital

III Materials

1 Definition of City according to Each Country

China

Urban Areas

Population living in areas under the administration of Cities and Towns.

Urban Agglomeration

Beijing (Capital), Shanghai and Tianjin. For other cities the population size of the

district (excluding surrounding counties) is used for projections. Cities which in 1982 have less than 2 million in city district but over 2million in urban agglomeration are not projected.

Japan

Urban Areas

Urban municipalities (shi and ku) usually with 30000 or more inhabitants and which may include some rural as well as urban clusters.

Urban Agglomeration

Nagoya, Kitakyushu, Osaka/Kobe, Tokyo (Capital)/Yokohama. Except for Tokyo, all data refer to shi, a minor division which may include some scattered or rural population as well as urban center.

Hong Kong

Urban Areas

Hong Kong Island, Kowloon, New Kowloon, New Town in New Territories.

Urban Agglomeration

Hong Kong (Capital)

Korea, Dem. Peo. Rep. of

Urban Areas

Definition not available

City Proper :

Pyongyang (Capital)

Korea, Republic of

Urban Areas

Seoul and municipalities with 5000 or more inhabitants ; Population whose usual residence is in cities (shi) designated by municipality regardless of the size of the population in specific administrative district.

City Proper

Pusan, Seoul (Capital)

Democratic Kampuchea

Urban Areas

Municipalities of Pnhom-Penh, Bokor Kep and 13 Urban centers.

City Proper

Pnhom Penh (Capital)

Indonesia

Urban Areas

Municipalities, Regency Capitals, and the other Places with Urban Characteristics.

City Proper

Jakakarta (Capital), Medan and Surabaya.

Lao People's Dem. Rep.

Urban Areas

Sum of five largest towns ; Vientiane, Louangphrabang, Savannakhet, Kammouan, and Paxse.

City Proper

Vientiane (Capital).

Malaysia

Urban Areas

Gazetted areas with 10000 or more population.

City Proper

Kuala Lumpur (Capital)

Myanmar

Urban Areas

Sum of 301 Towns.

City Proper

Yangon (Capital)

Philippines

Urban Areas

Bagio, Cebu, and Quezon city ; All city and municipalities with a density of at least 1000 persons square Km. ; Administrative centres, barrios of at least 2000 inhabitants, and those barrios of at least 1000 inhabitants which are contiguous centres. In all cities and municipalities with a density of at least 500 persons per square Km. ; All other administrative centres with at least 2500 inhabitants.

Urban Agglomeration

Manila (Capital)/Quezon

Singapore

Urban Areas

City of Singapore.

City Proper

Singapore (Capital)

Thailand

Urban Areas

Municipalities

City Proper

Bangkok (Capital)

Viet Nam

Urban Areas

Definition not available.

Urban Agglomeration

Hanoi (Capital), Ho-Chi-Minh Ville.

Afghanistan

Urban Areas

Towns with 2000 or more inhabitants.

City Proper

Kabul (Capital)

Bangladesh

Urban Areas

Center with a population of 5000 or more inhabitants with such urban characteristics as Street, Plazas, Swage system, and Electric light.

Urban Agglomeration

Dhaka (Capital).

India

Urban Areas

Towns (Places with Municipal corporation, area committee, town committee, notified area or cantonment board); Also all places having 5000 or more inhabitants, a density of not less than 1000 persons per square mile, pronounced urban characteristics and at least three fourths of the adult male population employed in pursuits other than

agriculture.

Urban Agglomeration

Ahmedbad, Bangalore, Greater Bombay, Delhi including New Delhi (Capital), Hyderabad, Madras and Poona, Calcutta including Bally Baranagar Bhatpara, Calcutta Municipal Corporation, Houghly-Chinsura, Howrah, Kamarhati, Pinihati, Serampore, South Dum Dum, and South Suburban Agglomeration.

Islamic Rep. of Iran

Urban Areas

All Population centers with 5000 or more inhabitants.

Urban Agglomeration

Teheran (Capital)

Nepal

Urban Areas

Localities of 9000 or more inhabitant (Panchayats).

City Proper

Kathmandu (Capital)

Pakistan

Urban Areas

Municipalities, Civil lines, Cantonment not include with in municipal limits, any other continuos collection of houses inhabited by not less than 5000 persons and having urban characteristic and also a few areas having urban characteristics but fewer than 5000 inhabitants.

Urban Agglomeration

Islamabad (Capital) Karachi, Lahore.

Sri Lanka

Urban Areas

Municipalities, Urban councils, and Towns.

City Proper : Colombo (Capital)

Democratic Yemen

Urban Areas

Entire the former colony of Aden, excluding the oil refinery and Villages of Al Burayqah and BI'R Fuqum.

Urban Agglomeration

Aden (Capital)

Iraq

Urban Areas

Area within the boundaries of municipality councils :

Urban Agglomeration

Baghdad (Capital)

Jordan

Urban Areas

District Headquarters, Localities with 10000 or more inhabitants (excluding Palestinian refugee camps in rural areas) and those localities of 5000 to 9000 inhabitants and the suburbs of Amman and Jerusalem; Cities in which two thirds or more of the economically active males are not engaged in agriculture.

City Proper

Amman (Capital)

Lebanon

Urban Areas

Localities with 5000 or more inhabitant.

City Proper

Beirut (Capital)

Saudi Arabia

Urban Areas

Cities with 5000 or more inhabitants.

City Proper

Riyadh (Capital)

Syrian Arab Republic

Urban Areas

Cities, Monhafaza centres, and Mantika centres.

City Proper

Damascus (Capital)

Yemen

Urban Areas

Six main Towns.

City Proper

Sana (Capital)

Israel

Urban Areas

Localities with at least 2000 inhabitants.

City Proper

Jerusalem (Capital) including east Jerusalem

Turkey

Urban Areas

Population of the localities within the municipality limits of administrative centers of provinces district.

Urban Agglomeration

Ankara (Capital) including Altindag, Cankaya, and Yenimahalle. Istanbul including Adalar, Bakiray, Besistas, Baykoz, Beyogiu, Eminonu, Eyup, Fatih, Gazi Osmanpasa, Kadikoy, Sariyer, Sisli, Uskudar and Zeytinburnu.

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